

## Officials See Light Civic Vote

Polls Open  
9-7 Thursday

Less than half the 20,143 eligible voters in the city of Victoria are expected to cast ballots in Thursday's civic election, according to Frank Hunter, city clerk and returning officer.

"If we get a 40 per cent turnout we will be doing well," Mr. Hunter said, basing his opinion on voting records in non-mayoral years over the past quarter of a century.

There was a 38 per cent vote in December, 1950, the last non-mayoral election.

"Probably about 9,000 may cast ballots," Mr. Hunter said.

Polling divisions in the central polling station at the Public Market will be open from 9 in the morning to 7 at night.

### SIX BALLOTS

Mr. Hunter urged that each elector be careful to vote on all of the six ballots he will receive in his set.

This aids both in economy and efficiency as marked ballots are counted "readily and quickly" where as unmarked ballots "must receive possibly four times as much attention," according to the returning officer.

### TWO BY-LAWS

Property owners will get a set of six ballots stapled together.

Top ballot, cream in color, will be for the Pemberton Park by-law; second, white, will be the debt retirement by-law; third, blue, will be for the referendum on the closure of Yates Street fire hall; fourth, for two school trustees will be pink; fifth for one police commissioner, green, and sixth for four aldermen, tan.

Householders and licensees will get a set of four ballots. They will not vote on the Pemberton Park or debt retirement by-laws. (Pictures of candidates, page 14.)



Gift for Sam Rainey, 102 Today

Long life "runs in the blood," says Sam Rainey, 102. He scorns patent medicines, sticks to porridge and soft-boiled eggs by preference, recalls his father lived to 105, his mother to 104. Born in County Down, he lived in Victoria since 1912.

In a birthday toque, a present today from his landlady, Mrs. Emma Edwards, Mr. Rainey gets a birthday kiss from Mrs. Caroline Rhodes. That, too, is an acceptable part of the Irishman's diet. See story on Page 22. (Photo by Halkett.)

## U.N. WON'T HEAR BEY OF TUNIS

Committee Votes 26 to 24 Against Hearing Spokesman Detail Complaints Against France

UNITED NATIONS, N.Y., Dec. 10 (AP)—The United Nations political committee today refused to invite the Bey of Tunis to send a spokesman here to detail his complaints against France.

France, which is boycotting U.N. debates on the explosive Tunisian question, had no representative present when the committee voted 26 to 24, with seven abstentions, against the resolution containing the invitation.

Britain and the United States led the fight against the move, which was strongly supported by Asian-Arab and Soviet bloc countries.

Canada has backed a middle-of-the-road proposal urging moderation on both sides.

Tuesday night Pakistan's Iqbal Husain introduced a motion urging the general assembly to ask the 71-year-old Bey, titular ruler of the French North African protectorate, to appoint a representative to come here speedily.

Husain, whose delegation joined 12 other Asian and Arab countries in putting Tunisia's demands for self-rule before the U.N., said he intended that the Bey's representative come to give his country's views but not have a vote.

U.S. and other western delegates indicated they would oppose the motion in view of the fact that France is not present. France is boycotting the Tunisian debate on the grounds that the U.N. has no competence to deal with what she claims is entirely a domestic affair.

I brought up the question several times during the congress. I told several influential Chinese that I would like to see my fellow countrymen, some of whom were personal friends. I wanted to give them the latest news from home and when I got back to Canada I would like to be able to tell their relatives and religious colleagues that they were all right.

I got the same answer every time I spoke to a Chinese about such a visit. It can't be done right away but later we'll be able to arrange any trips you'd like to make.

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## Record Vote

VANCOUVER, Dec. 10 (BUP)—Officials maintained their hopes for a record turnout of voters in today's Vancouver civic elections as polls opened with fairly good weather and a fairly good response of the electorate.

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## Seven Wounded In Gun Battle On N.Y. Street

Negro in Fight With Officers

NEW YORK, Dec. 10 (AP)—Three patrolmen and a 37-year-old gunman fought a furious gun battle early today in the streets a block from Times Square. The four men and three passersby were wounded.

Police said the three officers, all of whom were seriously wounded, exchanged shots with the gunman after chasing him from the Times Square subway station following a fight.

The gunman, who suffered multiple wounds of the body, was identified by police as Clarence O. Simms of Cleveland, a Negro. None of the passersby was hurt seriously.

### TRIED TO STOP FIGHT

One of the wounded patrolmen, Robert Knox, said that he tried to break up a fight in the subway involving Simms and an unidentified man and that Simms fled to the street.

With the patrolman in pursuit, Simms ran to 43rd Street and 8th Avenue, where two other patrolmen in a radio car joined the chase.

Trapped in there, Simms was approached by patrolman George McAuliffe.

Police said that when McAuliffe neared Simms to search him, the Ohioan pulled out a .45-calibre automatic and opened fire. Knox and patrolman James Kane returned the fire and brought Simms down. Both officers were wounded in the exchange.

## Q.C.A. Official Missing After Plane Found

VANCOUVER, Dec. 10 (AP)—A search party today is looking for a Queen Charlotte Airlines employee who apparently lost his way while looking for the wreckage of a plane that crashed Friday.

The same party that found the wreckage of the crashed Q.C.A. Anson and the body of pilot Bruce Wilson Tuesday, is searching the area near Halfmoon Bay, 40 miles northwest of here, for Tom McLaughlin of Vancouver. McLaughlin, chief inspector for the airlines, was a member of a party of department of transport officials and R.C.M.P. The party split up near the wreck and McLaughlin was not seen again.

## Seven Missing

ROTTERDAM, Dec. 10 (Reuters)—Seven seamen were believed drowned today when the Dutch liner Maasdam collided with a small German tanker in a canal here. The tanker capsized.

The tanker Ellen was heading out to sea when it crashed with the 15,204-ton Holland-American liner, carrying 600 New York-bound passengers.

## 160 Deaths

LONDON, Dec. 10 (AP)—Four days of oppressive fog which blanketed London earlier this week were blamed today for speeding the deaths of at least 160 elderly persons in the city. The total may exceed 200.

## COMMONWEALTH PARLEY NEARS END

# Huge Plans Drafted For Sterling Bloc

## 'WEEK-END' IN TIMES STARTING FEBRUARY 7

MONTREAL, Dec. 10.—Publication in the Victoria Daily Times of Week-end Picture Magazine, effective next Feb. 7, was jointly announced here today by John G. McConnell, president of Week-end, and Stuart Keate, publisher of the Times.

In full-page newspaper advertisements today Mr. McConnell welcomed "this important newspaper, covering a major market," to the group of Canadian newspapers which carry Week-end.

Mr. Keate said the addition of Week-end was in line with the Times policy of bringing its readers "outstanding new Canadian features, rotogravure and comics."

Week-end Magazine, a full color and rotogravure section devoted to Canadian affairs and articles, appears in selected newspapers from coast to coast.

## Truman Wants MacArthur Plans

President Asks General to Reveal Scheme to End Korean Conflict

WASHINGTON, Dec. 10 (BUP)—President Truman has called upon General MacArthur to advise him "at once" of any "reasonable" plan the general has for ending the Korean war. MacArthur said Friday he has such a plan.

NEW YORK, Dec. (AP)—An aide said today that Gen. Douglas MacArthur does not contemplate going west for a conference with President-Elect Eisenhower on the war in Korea.

The aide, Col. S. L. Huff, said there were no grounds for speculation that the former Far East commander would go to the west coast to meet Eisenhower, now returning from a visit to Korea.

Huff declined to discuss MacArthur's whereabouts except to say the general "is not available."

The speculation arose after Eisenhower in a radio message to MacArthur expressed interest in learning the former Far East commander's views on ending the Korean war.

Reporters who attempted to reach MacArthur Tuesday prior to announcement of the exchange of radio messages were told by his office he was "out of town."

After the exchange was announced Tuesday night, the telephone supervisor at the apartment building where he lives said the general was not at home.

## North Vancouver Probe to Resume

NORTH VANCOUVER, Dec. 10 (BUP)—The hearing into alleged irregularities in civic administration in North Vancouver will resume December 15 under chairmanship of D. E. McTaggart, former counsel for the city of Vancouver.

## WICKS PROMISES 'STREAMLINING'

Labor Minister Tells Nanaimo T.L.C. Conference of Plans

Special to The Times

NANAIMO, Dec. 10.—A speed-up in labor relations processes was promised today by Labor Minister Lyle Wicks in an address to 110 delegates attending the annual convention of the B.C. section of the Trades and Labor Congress of Canada.

Mr. Wicks said he was going to "streamline" the B.C. government's labor department by amalgamating services, and promote faster handling of conciliation and certification proceedings by having labor department inspectors work more closely with those engaged in conciliation.

Asking co-operation from the 70,000 unionists in 300 T.L.C. unions in B.C., he promised the delegates co-operation from the labor department, but "no favoritism."

Acting Mayor Charles Wharton welcomed the delegates on behalf of the Nanaimo city council. R. K. Gervin, Vancouver, chairman of the provincial executive, is conducting the convention meetings.

Facing the convention are resolutions dealing with amendments to the L.C. and A. Act, workmen's compensation, unemployment legislation, 40-hour week, national health, automobile insurance, and extension of the old age pension.

The convention will continue Thursday and possibly Friday.

## New Finance Corporation Discussed to Meet Crisis

LONDON, Dec. 10 (Reuters)—Plans were being considered today for a finance corporation to provide capital for the many development schemes approved by Commonwealth statesmen in their economic talks here.

The Commonwealth leaders, aiming to cure the sterling area's economic troubles, have decided on agriculture and industrial projects that will cost hundreds of millions of pounds.

The finance corporation would not be launched by the Commonwealth conference. It might be sponsored by the state-owned Bank of England with the help of other financial interests.

A source close to the conference said today the prime ministers had not themselves decided to set up a corporation. But they would welcome any move by business interests in Britain and particularly the City of London to finance large-scale Commonwealth development schemes.

Talks initiated by the Bank of England last week on the formation of the Commonwealth finance corporation are said by banking quarters here to be approaching a successful conclusion.

The capital may be subscribed by leading British banks and also by insurance companies, and other British financial institutions, South African, Australian and other Commonwealth banks here.

Prime Minister Winston Churchill will go to the United States early next year to place before President Dwight Eisenhower the Commonwealth plan for world economic recovery.

## Canadian Objectives Half Met

BY NORMAN MACLEOD

LONDON, Dec. 10 (BUP).—

The Canadian delegation's score at the Commonwealth economic conference now within a few hours of closing has been 50-50 between high success and frustration.

On the success side, the Canadians have wielded sufficient influence throughout the discussions to deter any attempts to throw G.A.T.T. (General Agreement on Tariff and Trade) overboard, and to discourage any move to repeat the experiment in closed Empire tariffs made at the Ottawa conference in 1932.

These achievements have been substantial. Delegation sources estimate that they safeguard some \$300,000,000 of Canadian export trade annually to South America.

But in the vital currency field, the Canadians have been completely unable to persuade anyone in authority here that Canada's action in freeing the Canadian dollar could be limited in respect to the pound sterling.

The unshakable view of the British and sterling area sections of the conference has been that the pound can only be freed if support is forthcoming from Washington. Such support obviously would have to be the subject of negotiations with the incoming Eisenhower regime.

The Canadian delegation came to the conference with considerable anxiety over the likelihood that the other Commonwealth partners would launch an all-out assault on G.A.T.T. While the operations of G.A.T.T. haven't been uniformly satisfactory to Canada, especially in relations with the United States, the arrangement is credited with having boosted Canada's South American exports from \$14,000,000 annually to \$300,000,000 annually.

Of equal concern with the preservation of G.A.T.T. to the Canadians was the fear that an attempt might be made to raise the preferential tariff wall around Commonwealth countries back to or near the one-time heights of the old Ottawa agreements. Any such proposal would be entirely contrary to the St. Laurent government's accepted philosophy of liberalizing world trade and the Canadian delegation was prepared to resist it firmly.

## Northwest Lumbermen Told: Guard Resources

Canada and the United States will be in danger of losing their places as world leaders if they do not take care of their reproducible natural resources, Lands and Forests Minister R. E. Somers told 600 forest and lumber men meeting at the Empress Hotel today.

The minister's remarks came at the opening session of the 43rd annual conference of the Western Forestry and Conservation Association.

The association represents a triple alliance of private, federal and state agencies whose objective is to make the most of the forest resources of the eleven western U.S. states and British Columbia, yet assure a sustained forest yield for all time.

"The future belongs to the nations with an abundance of natural resources," Mr. Somers declared in his speech of welcome to conference delegates. "If our countries are to continue to be world leaders we must manage the reproducible resources according to the best principles of resources management."

The minister observed there were indications on every hand that the annual harvest of the forest crop in this part of the world was just about in balance with the rate of growth.

"Conservation policies must be directed, therefore, to permanent production of an ample supply of raw material to maintain the great industries which have been established," he declared.

(See page 17 for pictures, stories.)

## Suspect Held In 'Bedroom Bandit' Case

VANCOUVER, Dec. 10 (BUP).—Police got their first break in a wave of molesting of young women in Vancouver today when a young man was identified as one of the attackers, possibly the "bedroom bandit."

Police withheld the man's name while investigating further charges against him.

Twenty women formed a police lineup to see whether they could recognize three sex-offense suspects. Only the one man was picked out and he was identified by three women who had reported being molested by the "bedroom bandit."

The dispute is between the Canadian Pacific and Canadian National Railways and two national and 15 international brotherhoods representing 144,000 employees who don't actually operate trains. The two parties came together on an invitation extended by Labor Minister Gregg after the unions rejected and the railroad accepted a federal conciliation board recommendation that the employees be given a 16-cent-an-hour wage increase.

Montreal, Dec. 10 (CP)—The Railway and union officials met for one and one-half hours today in resumed negotiations in their wage dispute and scheduled another session for Thursday.

No statement was issued today but the atmosphere was reported friendly. Neither side would indicate how long the talks may last.



M' Uncle Zeke fin'ly got his store teeth paid fer. Says th' dentist put th' bite on him fer forty bucks.

With all them forestry fellers at th' hotel fer their convention, heard a couple o' afternoon tea dovagers mutterin' "Trees a crowd."

Smoke inspector sez th' mills hev got' fix their chimneys during th' Christmas lay-off. Hope they still leave room fer Santa.



## ON THE TIMES

By ART STOTT

As I understand it, when a boom of logs breaks up in the storm, the logs still belong to the outfit that owned them when they were boomed. That means that we beachcombers can't pick up sticks, saw them into firewood or sell them for salvage.

They're still private property, and if we day profane hands on them, the owners put us in the pokey.

Okay. So who's responsible when these big privately-owned logs come busting into the slip at the foot of my lot, breaking the concrete and pulverizing the woodwork? I'd like to know, but I'm not going to ask. I've a sneaking hunch what the answer would be.

My slip—product of my blood, tears and sweat—I'd probably be told, is smashed not by the logs so much as by an act of God. Any damages I'd recover, if I sued, would be the rubble of what was once concrete, and the splinters of what were once my timbers.

I'm not going to sue, anyhow. I was too long on the court beat to get involved in a foreshore rights case, or to go onto the witness stand and swear which particular log knocked the daylight into my masonry.

And I've been around the waterfront long enough to know not to touch boom logs, unless I can get 'em all sawed up and into my basement before anybody catches me. At my age, I don't saw that fast.

So I watch the redskinned hemlock and the yellow, bark-flecked fir pound away when the south-easterly whistle in, and I pray, not too devoutly, that the owners will come and take them away. They ought to. The logs are too expensive to leave lying around.

## Mining Diamonds

A friend of mine in forestry explained all that to me. When loggers log logs, he explained, it's no longer like miners mining coal. It's like miners mining diamonds. What they get, he says, is precious.

I keep thinking of that every time I see the slash left behind when operators have moved over a section of the Island's forests. And I keep thinking that there should be some way of salvaging all that discarded stuff, which by my friend's analogy, must be diamond chips. How, I ask my forestry acquaintances, can timber interests afford to be so wasteful.

They have the same reply. In most cases, they say, the operators can't afford to be anything else. How valuable is the stuff they leave behind? A big Ontario pulp mill once offered an answer. He told B.C. loggers that his outfit back east needed for its entire operation only as much wood as coast interests leave on the ground when they've finished. On the other hand, coast men say what's left is only worth what the market will give for it—what doesn't pay most of them to haul the small stuff out.

Less than half a dozen operators in this part of the country operate on salvage, in spite of the success of the Ladysmith experiment of 1943-44. Under that plan two companies, Powell River and Comox Logging joined the provincial government on a salvage project. Each of the three were to contribute to the deficit they expected from the experiment. A year later the companies thanked the government for joining the scheme, said there was no deficit, and have since used the leftover waste as a basis for pulp operations.

There are others like them, using what they call peanut-pickers, small equipment, for handling the former waste.

## Waiting for the Market

But the economics of geography holds down expansion of salvage operations. There isn't a big enough market to handle all that's left. In time there will be—either when population increases the demand for pulp wood, or when forests are sufficiently depleted.

Then the peanut-picker and the portable chipper will move in to clean up the mess, making money out of what's often left to rot now and removing the fire-hazard it creates while it's lying on the ground as slash.

In the meantime loggers will concentrate on saw logs and peels. They'll be in demand as long as they last. And as long as I keep building my slip, they'll escape from booms, come galloping into the bay and bust my fond hopes of permanence in waterfront installations.

## Red P.O.W. Killed Trying to Escape

PUSAN, Korea, Dec. 10 (UP)—A restricted area of the compound. He was in critical condition at a hospital.

A North Korean trying to escape was killed when he refused to obey an order shouted by two guards, both of whom fired.

The other prisoner was wounded when he refused to obey a direct order to move from

## Terming Satellites 'Free' Brings Quick Protests

NEW YORK, Dec. 10 (AP)—V. K. Krishna Menon, author of India's Korea peace proposal, said he considers such countries as Czechoslovakia and Poland to be "free" nations.

Krishna Menon, deputy leader of the Indian U.N. delegation, spoke Tuesday night at a meeting of the India League of America, and his remark brought a flurry of protest from the floor.

Menon's peace plan won overwhelming approval by the U.N. General Assembly. It was rejected by the Russians.

He said recognition of Red China "is not approval" of what has transpired in that country but merely recognizing facts as they are.



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## Police Patrol Textile Town

## Dynamited Quebec Bus Mistaken For 'Scab' Labor Transportation

LOUISEVILLE, Que., Dec. 10 (BUP)—Sixty provincial police constables patrolled this textile town today after dynamite blew up a bus mistakenly believed hired to transport "scab" labor to a strikebound plant.

The bus, owned by a firm in Brantford, Ont., had been en route to Quebec City. Its driver, the only person aboard, left the bus to ask directions from a group of policemen. It was dynamited before he returned.

"Yesterday's explosion was definitely touched off by a criminal band," said Paul Benoit, special provincial police agent in charge of anti-subversive activities.

"There is something in the air and we have to keep on the alert." The blast, the fourth incident since employees staged a wage

## NO YACHT, MOUNTAIN RETREAT

## Ike Considers Dropping Presidential Luxuries

ABOARD U.S.S. HELENA, Dec. 10 (UP)—President-elect Dwight Eisenhower was reported today to be giving some thought to getting rid of two presidential luxuries after he takes office.

They are the White House yacht Williamsburg, and Shangri La, the elaborate Maryland mountain hideaway used by presidents Roosevelt and Truman.

The subject of federal economy figured in Eisenhower's continued shipboard conferences with his chief policy makers. In his campaign, Eisenhower preached frugality for all branches of government.

Operating a big sea-going luxury yacht like the Williamsburg apparently would not set well with Eisenhower's theories of economy.

Another factor possibly influencing his thinking is that the next president is not keen about following so closely Mr. Truman's way of life.

Shangri La is located in the Catoctin Mountains near Thurmont, Md., 75 miles north of Washington. Mr. Roosevelt established it during the Second World War as a place to get seclusion, rest and relief from the oppressive heat and humidity of Washington.

Mr. Truman used Shangri La infrequently, but members of his staff like to take guests there in summer. Shangri La is staffed by the navy, usually crewmen from the Williamsburg.

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## DANDELIONS, MARIGOLDS BLOOM IN EAST 'SPRING'

KITCHENER, Ont., Dec. 10 (CP)—Christmas is just around the corner but dandelions and marigolds are blooming in this area of southwestern Ontario. Snapdragons have been reported in flower.

Percy Shoemaker picked several dandelions near his home Tuesday when city thermometers stood at 51 degrees.

## Calgary M.P. Charges Lack of Arms Equipment

OTTAWA, Dec. 10 (BUP)—A Second World War artillery colonel said in the Commons Tuesday that Canada's supply of rifles, machine guns and artillery pieces had been depleted since this country started supplying arms to North Atlantic Treaty allies.

Lieut.-Col. Douglas S. Harkness (P.C.-Calgary East) said orders placed for weapons up to the beginning of this year came far short of replacing the equipment that Canada took out of its stores for shipment abroad.

"Great quantities of neckties, carpets, teapots, furniture, boudoir lamps, and so forth, have been secured," he said, "but at the same time stocks of rifles, machine guns and artillery pieces have actually been depleted."

"During the past two years of heavy expenditures for rearmament, the essential mobilization stores have not been stockpiled, and stockpiling is given by the government as the reason why expenditures have had to be so great."

Harkness said Canada had shipped arms and equipment for three infantry divisions to Europe, plus field guns for at least one regiment, and "practically all of the self-propelled antitank guns which we had."

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## Canadians Told Apples Must Be Best Quality

OTTAWA, Dec. 10 (BUP)—Apple growers were warned today that competition in the British market was getting stiffer and only top-grade produce will let this country keep pace with Italy and the United States.

Due chiefly to Britain's dollar shortage, Canada has dropped from first place to third as that country's number one supplier of apples.

In the year between July, 1951, and June, 1952, a trade department official said, Britain bought 1,451,400 bushels of apples from Italy; 1,234,700 from the United States, which exported virtually none in prewar years; and 1,011,800 from Canada.

Denmark, Switzerland, The Netherlands and Czechoslovakia are also increasingly invading the British market, which gets only about half of its dessert apples from domestic producers.

D. A. Bruce Marshall, commercial secretary for Canada in London, wrote in the magazine Foreign Trade that this country's apple sales to Britain had dropped

from 12,400,000 bushels a year before 1939, to only 793,900 bushels in the first half of this year.

"Qualities have steadily decreased because of smaller dollar allocations and, to some extent, fluctuations in the Canadian crop," Marshall said.

"The future of Canadian apples on the British market, when free access to it again becomes possible, will depend (apart from U.S. competition) on the ability of the Canadian industry to compete with both English apple growers and continental Europe producers. Both the latter are aware of their present opportunity to obtain a permanently larger share of the U.K. market... there is no place in the British market for Canadian 'C' grade or inferior varieties and packs when competition becomes more free, this will be even more true.

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## New President Of Israel Takes Office

68-Year-Old Zvi Succeeds Weizmann

JERUSALEM, Dec. 10 (CP)—Itzhak Ben Zvi, who spent a lifetime working for the establishment of Israel as a national home for the Jews, took the oath of office today as the second president of his youthful state in a solemn parliament ceremony.

The 68-year-old leader of the Israeli Labor party was elected by the Knesset Parliament Monday to a five-year term, succeeding the late Dr. Chaim Weizmann.

The new president came to the Holy Land in 1907 after pogroms in Russia spurred his ambition to work for a Jewish national state.

Ben Zvi was inaugurated to the shrill sound of ram's horns.

The new president walked into the Knesset escorted by the officer at arms as the fanfare echoed through the chamber.

Members and guests rose and remained standing while Ben Zvi took the oath of office.

As he finished, a battery of 21 guns crashed a salute, and the presidential standard—a square silver-blue flag embroidered with the Star of David, the state emblem—was flown over the Parliament building.

The president has only formal nominal powers.

## No Feminine For Queen Bodyguard

LONDON, Dec. 10 (Reuters)—Scotland Yard today denied a newspaper report that a woman officer might be appointed special bodyguard to the Queen.

"There is no truth whatever in a report published today that a woman police officer is about to be attached for protection duty with Her Majesty the Queen," Scotland Yard said.

"Nor is there any proposal to make such an appointment in the near future. All reports to this effect are entirely without foundation."

The Daily Express said Margaret Heald, 44, a police officer with 12 years' experience, had been chosen for the job.

## Nehru Denies He Will Take Oath to Queen

NEW DELHI, Dec. 10 (Reuters)—Prime Minister Nehru today angrily denounced as "fantastic nonsense" a report that he would take the oath of allegiance to the Queen at her Coronation in London next June.

He told opposition members of the legislature, who had tried to force a debate on the report, that they were guilty of "amazing irresponsibility." Before taking formal steps for a debate they should first have asked him if there were any truth in the rumor, he said.

The report referred to by the opposition appeared Dec. 4 in the German-language newspaper Neue Zeitung, published in Frankfurt under sponsorship of the U.S. high commission. It describes India's role in the Commonwealth, and then said:

"Not six years have passed since India achieved her independence, and the man who is to swear allegiance at the Coronation as India's representative is the man who has spent many years in a British prison for his leading part in the struggle for that independence."

## Saanich Family's Grandsons Share Colville Bequest

A Saanich woman's three grandsons, all living in Britain, have been left \$229,913 by their uncle, Hon. John Gilbert Colville, who died in England last January.

Grandparent of the three beneficiaries is Mrs. H. Richmond Gale, widow of Brig.-Gen. Gale, Mount Newton Crossroad.

Those sharing the Colville estate are Rt. Hon. John Mark Alexander Colville, fourth Viscount Colville of Culross; Hon. Charles Anthony Colville and Hon. Angus Richmond Colville. The oldest brother, John, was born in Saanich. His two brothers were born in Scotland.



Vic High Students Produce 'Christmas Stocking'

Victoria High School Students' Association is sponsoring an evening of entertainment with the presentation of a concert, "Christmas Stocking," on Friday, at the school. Over 200 students will be taking part, including the school band, orchestra, drama club and the girls' choir.

Some of the orchestra members getting ready for rehearsal are shown above, left to right: Dennis Tupman, Linda Redden, Garth Shearing, John Sawyer and Jean McGinnis, concert master. (Times photo.)

## Well-Known Musician, E. C. Holloway, Passes

Funeral services for Edgar Charles Holloway, well-known Victoria musician, will be held Friday at 1.30 at Metropolitan United Church.

Mr. Holloway died suddenly Tuesday as the result of a heart attack. He was 52.

Mr. Holloway suffered the attack at his home, 1257 McKenzie Street, in the morning and died in hospital in the afternoon.

Born in Croydon, Eng., he served during the First World War with the London Rifle Brigade, and came to Canada in 1921, making Victoria his home.

Always a keen musician, he became well known in musical circles here. He was an organist in local theatres during days of silent movies.

For 13 years he was director of music at the First Church of Christ Scientist, at the top of Pandora Boulevard, and for the

last seven and one-half years was organist and choirmaster at Metropolitan United Church, Quadra and Pandora.

He was a teacher of piano and regarded as one of the city's leading accompanists for vocal artists.

Dr. F. E. H. James, minister of the Metropolitan, today paid tribute to Mr. Holloway, saying: "His kindly personality and thoughtfulness of others endeared him to the hearts of all who knew him. He will be greatly missed from the musical and church life of this city."

He is survived by his wife, Elspeth Mary, and two children, Daphne Gail and David Glen, at home, and two brothers and a sister, residing in England.

Dr. James will conduct the funeral service. Cremation will follow.

## Saanich Factions Clash On Library Service Issue

If books had been handy at a Central Saanich pre-election meeting Tuesday, taxpayers might have been tempted to throw them at each other during a lively discussion on the library referendum.

The wording of the referendum, which asked ratepayers if they are in favor of spending "tax money" for library services, was strongly criticized by some residents who are in favor of continuing the services with the Victoria Public Library.

They felt that the wording of the referendum gave the impression that the library service is a costly affair, when it only amounted to a little over \$2 a year per person.

They said the referendum should have asked the electorate simply if it is in favor of continuing the library service.

Over 200 persons attended the public meeting held in the Saanich Agricultural Hall. Six candidates seeking election on the council outlined their platforms. Council candidates are A. H. O. Bolster, C. D. T. Whitehouse, Clr. R. Lamont and Clr. Willard Michell.

Reeve Sydney Pickles and

Lorne Thomson, who are both seeking the reeveship, crossed swords on several occasions with regard to the road building program.

Reeve Pickles in his report said the municipality's "financial position is beyond reproach."

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## LADY WONDER 'STRANGE LINK'?

### Owner Doesn't Know How Horse Does It

RICHMOND, Va., Dec. 10 (AP).—Mrs. Claudia Fonda, owner of an animal that has come to be known as a talking horse, doesn't claim to understand how "Lady Wonder" does the phenomenal things she is credited with doing.

But she is more than a little disturbed about the flood of questions that has descended on her household since the recent publicity resulting from the discovery of a missing Massachusetts youngster through a clue given by Lady.

"I've often wished I understood," she said, when asked if she could explain Lady's unusual abilities.

Mrs. Fonda, who has been allowing people to question Lady for more than 20 years, said "I'm convinced that there is a strange link between the human and the animal mind, at least in Lady's case."

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## Appointment at the Polls

UNLIKE CENTRAL SAANICH, where two candidates seek the reeveship, voters of Greater Victoria municipalities this week will not be casting ballots for chief magistrates. They will, however, be choosing representatives for council positions and in some cases for other public offices.

At the same time, the people of Victoria and Saanich will pass opinions on important questions, some in by-law and others in referendum forms. The issues are of direct concern to them. They should not be ignored through neglect at the polls.

Those questions represent dollars and cents to the taxpayers or they involve use of property in a way that will affect many of the residents. In each case the proposals should be studied carefully by voters.

In the city itself three straightforward proposals have been placed before the people. One asks approval for an alteration in plans for Pemberton Park. The city's recommendation calls for the shifting of the park reserve from one side of the Runnymede Avenue allowance to the other, with a minor alteration in the location of that section of Runnymede not yet built and slight enlargement of the reserve.

A second by-law asks the citizens to endorse the council's recommendation to save money in advance to meet a heavy debt payment starting almost 10 years hence. By building up a fund between now and 1963, the taxpayers can avoid

the impact of payments that might, a decade from now, be crippling.

The city also asks the voters whether they are in favor of keeping the Yates Street firehall closed, or would prefer to pay approximately \$38,000 a year needed to staff and maintain the firehall if it were re-opened.

In Saanich two questions are submitted—questions which demand thought.

One asks the people if they favor zoning 530 acres in a particular location for exhibition grounds and a race track, provided any company seeking those facilities posts bonds to assure construction and operation of the building and track.

The other, in effect, asks Saanich if it wishes to continue or abandon its use of the city library. The referendum points out that the municipality has not raised sufficient revenue on its two-dollars per adult collection formula to meet costs of the service and asks if the people of Saanich are prepared to take the difference from general revenue. That can be broken down, on the basis of present estimates, into the simple question asking the taxpayer if he is prepared to pay an average of 80 cents more a year for library privileges.

Answers are required from the voters on these questions. They are matters of importance. The issues involved should be understood before the individual steps into the polling station on Thursday, in the case of the city, or Saturday in Saanich.

## Rays From the Sun

THE VANCOUVER SUN, always original in its thinking, advances a remarkable proposition for the consideration of the Canadian government. It is all very well, says The Sun, for the government to urge Canadians to produce more goods, but it asks, where is this production to be sold? British Columbia, it observes, is capable of huge and increasing production but even now, in a boom market, finds difficulty in selling some of its products.

For anyone who believes in the system of free enterprise, as The Sun does, this is indeed a curious theory. It means, it can only mean, that somehow the state shall be responsible for providing the markets of free enterprise. Now that is a perfectly logical proposition for a socialist. Under socialism the state would both produce and market the nation's goods; and assuredly once the state undertakes to do that it has erected a socialist system, it has extinguished free enterprise, precisely as the socialist desires.

The Sun doubtless will say that it does not mean anything like that. It means, one presumes, only that the policies of the state should be so devised that they will open up foreign markets for goods such as British Columbia produces.

What does The Sun think the Canadian government has been doing? Perhaps more than any government in the world it has tried to free the channels

of world trade and it has succeeded so far that Canada's trade is now at an all-time peak, is extremely high even in the sterling areas (despite Conservative statements to the contrary) and is providing high prosperity in this country. What more the government can do to encourage foreign trade, without adopting the socialist remedy of managing all trade itself and repealing the free enterprise system it is difficult to imagine. However, as The Sun presumably will say, there are some Canadian industries, like lumber and fish in British Columbia, which now face hard problems of marketing. Why is this? It is because these industries, with their high costs, are unable to compete in some markets with the similar products of some other countries. To a small degree in the case of lumber, to an alarmingly large degree in the case of fish, they have priced themselves out of the market.

Does The Sun imagine that the government, short of complete state control over wages, can do anything about that? The ravenous world market is open to all our industries but they must sell at the market price, and that price is not under the control of the Canadian or any other government. If they can bring their prices within the market they will sell their products, not otherwise, whatever the government may do. Instead of looking to Ottawa these industries should look first into their own affairs.

## History On View

MILLIONS OF PEOPLE throughout the world, and particularly throughout the Commonwealth, will welcome the decision of the committee in charge of arrangements to permit the coronation of Queen Elizabeth to be televised.

Full appreciation will be given to the fact that the coronation of a British monarch is essentially a religious ceremony, with all this implies in the need to avoid intrusion of mechanical and other distractions. The ceremony itself must not become subordinate to the viewing of it, except insofar as the viewing—by nobles, by certain public representatives, by the boys of Westminster School, and other traditional observers—is part of the coronation service.

But with the reservation of such intimate rites as the anointing and the taking of communion, it has been found feasible to give this great spectacle the wider publicity its significance justifies. For the world the coronation will

provide an exhibition of brilliance and splendor. But for members of the family of nations that recognize the monarchy as their own, the act will have far greater meaning and importance. With the placing of the crown and completion of the other historic procedures, Canada, as well as Britain and other Commonwealth countries, will have formally welcomed a new Queen. The world has changed, even since the coronation of George VI, and Canada will have, more than ever, a feeling of personal participation in the occasion.

It is an event unlikely to be repeated for many years, and in its precise details, perhaps never again. For that reason those who witness it, either at first hand or remotely, will be participating in a piece of history—unique, colorful, symbolic, and inherently of vast importance. Extension of that participation through television and film is in the public interest and to be commended.

## Compounding Discrimination

WHEN THE BOARD OF TRANSPORT Commissioners begins its hearing next Monday on the railway companies' application for a 9 per cent horizontal freight rate increase, one over-riding consideration will hold the attention of the west.

That concern is simply phrased: Will the board allow a horizontal raise, thereby intensifying the existing discrimination in hauling charges?

The Turgeon Commission has proved the case against the existing freight rate structure in Canada. It has made clear to Parliament—and has received Parliamentary recognition of the fact—that the present system of charges is grossly unfair to western Canada and that horizontal rate increases aggravate the injustice.

In central and eastern Canada, where the rival transport mediums of St. Lawrence shipping and freight trucks furnish competition, freight rates are low by comparison with those of the west. Consequently, a percentage increase uniformly applied takes less from the pockets of the people of central and eastern Canada than it takes from the rest of the nation. It compensates for those relatively lower returns by victimizing the west.

From Winnipeg to the Pacific that fact is understood clearly. The intricate mathematics of a freight rate formula may be matters only for the experts. On the other hand it requires no arithmetic genius to see the injustice under which the west now labors, nor to recognize the need for equalization of rates before any horizontal increase is applied.

## Chips

By DAVID BROCK

CHRISTMAS is an awfully hungry time. I think it's on account of all these women cooking themselves crazy for weeks ahead. The advertisements don't make me hungry, with their pictures of hard-boiled turkeys and horrible candy and costly biscuits. They give me nothing but a bun under my heart. They remind me of the pimples I'll be exhibiting along about Jan. 1. (When I was a child I always referred to Christmas cake as Pimple Cake, and I still do, and it still affects me that way.) But kitchens are different, and so are Christmas plans. They make me greedy. Two or three times lately I've caught myself thinking of the Nativity in terms of grub. Which is a sin, and almost blasphemous. And because I know it is a sin, and one of the deadly sins at that, the sin called Gluttony, I stand in more peril than you, you who don't know it for a sin at all.

I find I can go whole months at a time without thinking of sherry and shortbread and mince pie and plum pudding and stuff. In fact, that's the main difference between me and a certain Scottish earl who ate plum pudding every day for lunch, 365 days a year and 366 in leap years. It sticks in my mind he was the Earl of Strathmore, the grandfather of our Queen, but maybe he was another earl, reliable though my memory is.

At any rate, I'm the man to set a world's record for you by not thinking of rich fare from January to November. And if I did think of it, it would sicken me. Yet by mid-December I'm a hog and ready to climb right into the trough. What causes this jealousy and hypocrisy?

You can't explain it by saying "Men are such beasts!" I know they're beasts, and I'm not denying it. But it's women who truckle to them by doing the cooking, shame on them. Women, it's true, don't make the wine and distill the spirits, though they would if they could, they're so daft in December. But they fling the old groceries right at our heads. And if some magic truns us into swine, blame it on some woman who has been turned into Circe.

As a matter of fact, I don't apologize too heartily for eating heartily when the materials are at hand, provided I am grateful for my feast. (It is a great mistake not to say grace. On the lowest and most psychiatric terms, it helps you to relax and enjoy yourself, and on higher terms it helps you make your soul.) I can eat a whole duck in the twinkling of an eye, or a shoulder of mutton (including the fat) in two shakes of a lamb's tail . . . when I'm in the mood.

I'm a good feeder. I'm like Chesterton, who said, "I have never been anything so refined as a gourmet; so I am happy to say that I am still quite capable of being a glutton. My ignorance of cookery is such that I even eat the food in the most fashionable and expensive hotels in London."

Me too. I'm not the boy you hear grumbling about the diet in liners and on trains which is only three times better than what you get at home.

No, the only thing that astounds me is the KIND of food I dwell on in my Christmas thoughts. For example, instead of thinking about chicken and duck and goose and pigeon and guinea-fowl and pheasant and all, I start thinking about turkey. Now, as every eater knows, your turkey is an over-estimated fowl. He is concealed, both in the barnyard and in the oven. He is dry, he is dull, he lacks character. (In the barnyard he lacks character in exactly the same way as an old "character" of a grandpappy on the stage, that bane of actor and audience alike.)

And by the way, dear chefs and dear feeders, if your turkey seems dull, you can revive him wonderfully by serving him with boiled bacon (not fried in strips, please) or boiled salt pork. Of course you must cook him with plenty of strips of bacon on his bosom, removing these about 20 minutes before he's done . . . and eating them in the kitchen if you like. That's up to you, not me. Or you can cook him in a brown paper bag, or in a plaster cast of flour and water, which keeps the rascal juicy, if he happened to be juicy to begin with. Incidentally, the best thing to do with a turkey is to raise him from birth and let him eat weeds and bugs and other things he finds when at liberty, so that he tastes like a fowl and not like a feed-store.

And instead of thinking of heavenly omelettes and fresh caviare and other really hungry and notable foods, I find myself thinking of things as disgusting as lumpy plum pudding, ignited with ignoble brandy. Plus hard sauce, king of the pimple-makers. I despise myself for it. I'll hate myself in the morning. But darn it, it's fun.

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The art of education is to spend your time profitably.

—J. H. B. Browne.

### FOLLOW THE LEADER

The initiation of all wise and noble things, comes and must come from individuals, generally at first from some one individual. The honor and glory of the average man is that he is capable of following that initiative; that he can respond internally to wise and noble things, and be led to them with his eyes open.

—John Stuart Mill in "On Liberty."

### MARKED FOR WRITING

Mind you don't write any professional English, the garbage of words that conceals lack of thought. "The development of the poet's individuality constitutes a subject of profound interest," and that sort of thing. Write for Oxford cabmen . . . in that way you will say more in less space. In most American university books I can't see the fish for the weeds. Don't ever say mentality. Except where it is used to mean nothing, there's no need for it.

—Prof. Walter Raleigh, letter to Walter Peck, 1928.

## A New Hook



## As Our Readers See It

### POLITICS IN COUNCIL?

The non-partisan league, evidently defunct, unfortunately opens the door wide which must account for politics rushing into our civic and municipal areas.

In reading the list of aspirants, in Oak Bay the name of Mr. Gregory is among those seeking office and on enquiry I am told this man is president of the Oak Bay Liberal Association and was campaign manager in the province's last election for none other than the reeve of Oak Bay who was that party's candidate.

As a fairly new resident of the municipality I wanted to learn something of those seeking office and while I am not affiliated with any political organization, I am very much opposed to a one-sided council.

Surely a more representative body in council would best serve the interests of the taxpayers.

ETHEL M. MORRISON.  
Telegraph Bay Road.

### MIRACLES

May I as a living miracle, take place in your paper to answer L. J. Pepper's letter on "No Miracle."

He states, for thousands of years man has prayed to God, built churches, believed in miracles, then says, we still have wars, evil present, lives lost in traffic accidents, millions of sick, suffering children, with 80,000 mental cases and NO MIRACLE.

May I say that if men and women would let the love of Christ in true conversion come into their hearts, upholding the sacred law of God, living the

life that counts; we would have so many living miracles walking about on the face of this sin-cursed earth that we wouldn't need policemen, jails, mental institutes, beer halls, homes for abandoned children or wars, because man would love his neighbor as himself, thus exemplifying the character of our crucified and risen Saviour, whom the world in three short weeks is to honor. Every truly converted soul is a living miracle.

ETHEL A. VINCENT.

Royal Oak.

### SCHOOL GRADES

In reply to Mrs. Adelaide Marshall's letter, "Examinations and Grades." I would like to uphold the present system of grading for High School.

I do think that the year's average gives a far better picture of the child's ability than a government exam which they get keyed up for and in many cases flustered.

I would like to differ with Mrs. Marshall on the point that children are 16 and over when they enter High School. I think if she checks the records she will find the average age is 14 years and can be 13 years depending on whether their birthday comes before the December deadline for starting school.

When she speaks of the "old days" when children were at times held back a year before going to Normal, Mrs. Marshall should remember there were only three years of High for matric, not four years as we now have.

MRS. J. W. BARBARA SULSBURY.  
116 Menzies Street.

## Pemberton Woods Park

### BREAK IT UP

Why trouble our heads with Pemberton Woods?

Victoria's parks are expensive to maintain and provide no revenue, and should be broken up into lots and placed on the tax roll as Alderman Dowell suggests.

G. MONTAGUE.

### 312 Lotus Street.

### SAVE IT

Alderman Dowell has professed puzzlement over the opposition to "undedicating" Pemberton Woods Park etc. May I suggest that Mr. Dowell would not allow anyone to "chop up" his moving business—agree to take another business that Victoria property owners might decide to offer him!

All the residents in this area, as well as elsewhere, object to the molestation by subdivision of the present Pemberton Woods Park—our homes and investments are threatened. We want more park—more space for breathing in peace in the interests of happiness, health and tax-free "freedom."

MRS. KATHLEEN M. WORTHINGTON-LAKE.  
851 Maddison Street.

### NO STREET

Alderman Dowell in his zeal to subdivide four acres of Pemberton Woods stated at the Junior Chamber of Commerce election meeting Monday that "The city is just moving the park across the street." May I state most emphatically that there is no "street" to move the park across to.

Pemberton Woods at present comprises seven acres of land. The present controversy is caused simply because the present City Council do not wish to keep this seven acres intact but wish to subdivide half for dwellings and the other half for a park with an express highway right through the middle to Oak Bay.

It is agreed that all of this land is not necessary in 1952, but when school authorities estimate an increase in school population of some 6,000 by 1962, surely we should have the foresight to retain the last large parcel of land in the city.

In order to ensure the retention of the present four acres of park I urge you to vote "No" on the by-law which reads "Should the By-law Be Confirmed."

HAROLD B. WHITFIELD.  
1239 Fairfield Road.

## Three Questions For History

By STEWART ALSOP from Washington

THE basic decision which President-elect Eisenhower must now make can be very simply defined. It is whether to mount a major offensive in Korea in an attempt to inflict a decisive defeat on the Communist armies there.

Hope for a negotiated truce is now dead. Eisenhower has certainly not even seriously considered an evacuation of Korea, simply because this would be the equivalent of a gigantic defeat for the free world. And everything else—whether to blockade the China coast, how many Korean divisions can be armed, whether nuclear weapons can be usefully employed in the Korean war, whether Chinese Nationalist troops could be used—hangs on an offensive.

There are, therefore, three basic questions to which Eisenhower must try to find the answers. The first is: Do we have the power available to mount a successful offensive? The second is: Can a successful offensive be mounted without extending the war beyond the Korean borders? The third is: If we do mount a successful offensive, will this either end the Korean war, or at the very least materially improve our position?

According to those who have been in recent contact with the commanders on the spot, including Generals Mark Clark and James Van Fleet, Eisenhower must have found unanimous agreement on the answer to the first question.

### LESS AGREEMENT

On the second point—whether such an offensive operation can succeed without extending the war beyond the Korean borders—there is less agreement.

Clearly this is a question which Eisenhower will consider prayerfully. The very grave risks involved in an extension of the war beyond the Yalu have already been thoroughly canvassed in the MacArthur hearings. One risk, of course, is a break with America's allies, on the grounds that "Eisenhower has succumbed to MacArthurism."

On the third point—whether a successful offensive in Korea will bring the war to an end, or at least greatly improve our position—Eisenhower could have found no agreement at all.

Certain Air Force leaders doubt the value of an offensive, on the grounds that a successful offensive would simply bring the U.N. troops within easy range of the Communist air force. Other commanders, reportedly including Clark and Van Fleet, believe that a successful offensive could seal off and destroy the Communist army in Korea as an effective fighting force.

This is, of course, a political as well as a military question.

### POSSIBLE BREAK

Yugoslav United Nations delegates, who watched the Vishinsky performance, and who have special reasons for knowing how the Kremlin operates, are convinced that Vishinsky denounced the Indian plan so quickly and bitterly in order to forestall Chinese acceptance of the plan. At any rate, it is not wholly unreasonable to suppose that a successful offensive in Korea might cause the Chinese to cut their losses there, and even, just conceivably, to break with the Russians.

Clearly this decision on a Korean offensive, which Eisenhower must now make, is heart-rendingly difficult. It would be folly to expect Eisenhower to return with a magic solution, or even to announce in any detail what he plans to do. But at least the Eisenhower administration will have the power to act decisively, which the Truman administration lacked. And at least Eisenhower has been faced with heart-rendingly difficult decisions before, and has chosen wisely.

## Ups and Downs

By BRIAN TOBIN

"SINCE ancient times," said the Elevator Man, "men have sought advice from each other. And anybody who earned a reputation for skookum wawa found he was kept busy dishing out valuable words to those who couldn't make up their minds. But when people are really pressed for answers, they tend to turn from their fellow men and look for answers among the other creatures. In ancient Roman times, for instance, the wise men would poke around in a chicken's entrails in a search for the truth. There were famous geese that were supposed to quack to warn some city of attack. There were various mystical creatures and oracles that came up with answers to the most difficult old-time quizzes—although often their answers were worse than the quizzes. But in our generation we go for horses. Lower main!"

"Every now and then," said the Elevator Man, "a talking horse crops up in the news. There used to be the famous Elberfeld horses, that performed wonders in the quiz kid line. And from time to time others have made the headlines, keeping their owners out of the breadlines. Of course, some of them got a little help from their owners. But even at that they were pretty clever to learn the signals, so your admission money wasn't completely wasted. And today we have this horse down in Virginia that's answering questions on a sort of typewriter, finding lost people and generally acting like an encyclopedia instead of an equine. If it knows as much as it seems to know, it should have gone to Washington long ago as one of these dollar-a-year horses. Mezzanine!"

"It reminds me," said the Elevator Man, "of the fella who was having a drink in a bar when a horse stuck its head through the window and said, 'A Black Crown rye, please.' The fella's eyes popped as the bar tender poured the rye into a bowl and the horse drank it up and withdrew. 'Good lord, man,' he gasped in amazement. 'Did I see a horse look in that window, and order a Black Crown rye?' 'Uh, huh,' says the bartender as he wiped the bar. 'The darn fool doesn't know it's the poorest rye we've got.'"

### The Unseen Audience : : : : BY K. T. WESTER



### From Our Files

Dec. 10, 1892—Eighteen p.o. notes were towed out to the Ss. San Pedro today. Preparations for the next attempt to raise the vessel from Brochie Ledge are about complete.

Dec. 10, 1912—For 24 hours the auxiliary schooner La Viagera of Victoria drifted in the Strait before being picked up and towed to Port Angeles by a U.S. quarantine launch. Capt. John Irving and a party of friends were aboard.

Dec. 10, 1932—Mrs. Roosevelt, widow of President Theodore Roosevelt, was in Victoria for two hours today, bound for the Philippines. She is 71.



## Defense Output Drops in U.S.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 10 (AP)—Cutbacks in defense production in the United States have begun and some plants may be closed in the coming months, a defense mobilization spokesman says.

Andrew Berding, of the defense mobilization information office, Tuesday said "the whole thing is under study" and the armed services probably would announce within a few days specific cutbacks, due to leveling off of production.

## Report No Casualties After Ships Collide

SAN DIEGO, Calif., Dec. 10 (AP)—The U.S. Navy escort carrier Sitkoh Bay and the commercial steamship Sea Fort collided Tuesday night, but no casualties were reported and both ships reached port early today.

Coast Guard ships escorted the steamship into San Diego. She was reported taking some water through a hole in the forward section. Damage to the carrier was light. The collision occurred 28 miles south-southwest of here.

## Hotelmen's Group Splits on Policy

'Vancouver Dominance' Held to Blame; Victorians Join Bolt From B.C. Body

Dissatisfaction over "Vancouver dominance" of the B.C. Hotel Association resulted in the resignation Tuesday of nine members, including three Victoria hotel operators.

Plans are being laid for formation of a new group, which will include some Vancouver hotels, it is learned.

The three Victoria hotelmen are: Ald. James E. Neely of the Douglas, W. J. Clark of the Dominion and H. B. Olson of the Strathcona.

"There has been dissatisfaction for some time," Ald. Neely said today. "It was felt that Vancouver was the dominating factor and other areas were not getting sufficient representation."

A. H. Millham of Vancouver,

one of three vice-presidents, announced the break because of the "policies" of J. A. Bengert of Vancouver association president.

Ald. Neely felt the dissatisfaction could not be laid to one person and stressed that it had been felt "for some time."

In Vancouver it was charged that Mr. Bengert had kept the second and third vice-presidents off "important committees."

"I would say that is correct," Mr. Neely stated.

Members who resigned included David Kyle, second vice-president of Port Alberni, and A. M. Affleck, third vice-president of Kamloops.

Mr. Bengert denied he had injected personal policies into the association and said:

"I have only carried out the wishes of the directors and the membership. All decisions are made, not by committees but by full meetings of the directors at which the three vice-presidents would also be present."

## Canadian Jets Britain-Bound

OTTAWA, Dec. 10 (CP)—The first group of more than 300 jet fighters being built in Canada for Britain has completed the first lap of a flight to England, landing Monday at Goose Bay, Labrador.

R.C.A.F. headquarters said the nine F-86 Sabres and their R.A.F. pilots will wait at Goose Bay for another five Sabres to join them from Bagotville, Que., where the first nine started their flight. The 14 jets then will head across the Atlantic.

## How to make your Christmas shopping easier

by Frances Gordon  
Fashion Consultant for Mercury Mills Limited

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Worried what to get your sister, your secretary, your nice maiden aunt? Wondering what "extra" gift would make your best girl happy? Hosiery is the answer! No woman ever has enough! But a word of warning... do get them sheer, (December or not, women like 'em wispy) and do get a fashion-right shade. And you needn't be baffled by stocking words like *denier* and *gauge*. Ask the salesclerk for Mercury and let her guide you through the technicalities. And get one of the new Flight of Fancy shades—the subtle flattering shades she'd choose herself—Trinidad, Bermuda, Jamaica, Port of Spain, Havana, Nassau. Two pairs are better than one (that way she'll always have an extra to match to a pair).

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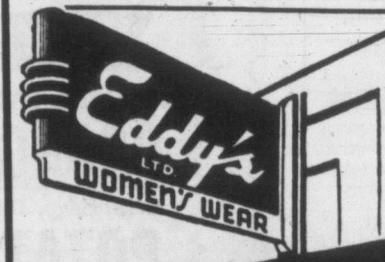
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## Yards Resume Wage Talks Here Tonight

Unions of the Victoria Joint Shipyard Council will meet shipyard operators tonight in a session that might bring an end to wage negotiations that began here in June.

Unions originally asked a 35-cent hourly increase, but accepted a majority conciliation board recommendation for a 12½-cent increase.

Operators favored no wage change, but after the conciliation board hearing offered 7½-cent increase and half-payment of Medical Services Association premiums, contingent on all unions accepting. This stand was later modified when the companies said they would sign agreements with individual unions on those terms.

About 1,300 men are involved in the current negotiations.

## Schubert Club Sings Before Packed Church

A capacity audience heard the Schubert Club Ladies' Choir in recital at Oak Bay United Church Tuesday night.

The recital opened the choir's 30th season and marked the first time the group has given a concert under its new director, Mrs. Vera Barclay.

She took over directorship recently from Frederic King, choir organizer. Dr. T. H. Johns was guest soloist and William and John Oulton, violinists.

Individual artists from the choir were: Maide Carver and Margaret Christison. Eileen Paul and Joy Stamford sang a duet.

## Children Thrilled At Yuletide Party

Steve Kinsey delighted the hearts of the large crowd of children by acting Santa Claus and distributing gifts to them at the Dale Carnegie Club International Christmas Party held Monday evening at Hampton Hall.

Conveners of the party were: Mrs. Kaye Miller, John McLellan, Miss Ivy Humberstone, Thomas Barton acted as master of ceremonies. A turkey buffet supper was served to members and their families by Ben Humberstone.

Piano solos were rendered by Paul Martinson, and a ballet number was danced by Miss Valerie Parker in costume.

## Visa Frauds Action Due

OTTAWA, Dec. 10 (CP)—A 1951 racket in Canadian immigration from Italy will result in court charges against several former employees of the immigration department.

Immigration Minister Walter Harris made a partial announcement of the government action in the Commons Monday, saying charges would be lodged against "five or six" persons as the result of long investigation into visa frauds.

## Swiss to Try To Scale Everest Again

NEW DELHI, Dec. 10 (Reuters).—Swiss mountain climbers will make a fresh attempt on unconquered Mount Everest unless rival expeditions with improved oxygen equipment succeed first.

Swiss circles here disclosed Sunday that the new try will be made in 1955 if French and British teams do not reach the top before then.

The disclosure came as the Swiss team, which failed by a few hundred feet and a few breaths of oxygen to scale the world's highest mountain, prepared to return home.

Next in line is a British expedition led by Col. John Hunt and drawing on the data gathered last year by Eric Shipton, who has been on more Everest attempts than any other man. A French team is slated for 1954.



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## Full-Time Jail Doctor Suggested

VANCOUVER, Dec. 10 (BUP)—Dr. Stewart Murray, Vancouver medical health officer, warned Tuesday that a full-time doctor on duty was the only solution to cutting the number of deaths in the city jail.

He said every prisoner should be examined by the doctor when booked on a charge. Dr. Murray was commenting on the recent recommendation of a coroner's jury that the city police should be supplied with a full list of all known tuberculars, indigents and pensioners in the city to help them in spotting persons needing special attention when lodged in jail.

The jury's recommendation arose from the inquest into the death of James McLean, no fixed address, who died in the jail following an overdose of barbiturates.

NANAIMO, Dec. 10—Gordon Borden, alias Gordon Martin, who pleaded guilty in police court Tuesday to possession of narcotics, was remanded to Dec. 15 for sentence.

Remanded Monday to Dec. 15 was Richard Guss, who pleaded guilty to a smash-grab theft from a jewelry store window early Sunday morning.

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8-oz. tin **42¢**

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TABLE DATES, Imported Tunis, pkg.	29¢
TABLE FIGS, Calimyrna White, 6-oz.	17¢
ENGLISH ASSORTED TOFFEE, per lb.	45¢
7-lb. box	2.89
SLICED PINEAPPLE, Dole's, 20-oz.	35¢
FRUIT COCKTAIL, Dole's, 20-oz.	31¢
PEAS, Size No. 4, Fancy, Nabob, 15-oz.	2 tins 39¢
ASPARAGUS TIPS, Fancy, Nabob, 12-oz.	2 tins 43¢
PINEAPPLE JUICE, Dole's, 20-oz.	2 tins 27¢
APPLE JUICE, Clear Sun-Rype, 48-oz.	2 tins 32¢
TOMATO JUICE, Libby's, 20-oz.	2 tins 31¢
LEMON JUICE, Sunkist, 6-oz.	2 tins 25¢
MIXED NUTS in shell, per lb.	2 tins 39¢
ICE CREAM, assorted flavors, Faultless, pints.	25¢
CRANBERRY SAUCE, Ocean Sprav, 15-oz.	25¢
FRUIT CAKES, Light or Dark, Australian Nifty Naps, Dispenser Nankins, 70's	3 lbs. 1.29
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**Local, Bunch CARROTS** 2 bunches **23¢**

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## Vast Opportunity Seen for Canada

Prosperity Based on Natural Wealth Impresses Noted Australian Writer

One of Canada's most enthusiastic boosters is a noted Australian journalist, R. L. Curthoys of Melbourne, correspondent for the London Daily Times, the New York Daily Times, and several Canadian and South African newspapers.

Mr. Curthoys left Victoria today after an extended tour of Canada, and, in his opinion, this is a land of unlimited opportunity.

"Canadians are to be envied for their growing prosperity, based soundly on development of natural resources," he said. "And you have barely scratched the surface."

He was especially impressed with Edmonton, and the efficient way civic government is keeping up with the problems of a burgeoning city.

The journalist, who spent three days in Victoria before flying back to Australia, foresees a grim, arduous struggle for his own country.

He blames much of Australia's economic difficulties on the Labor

government's attempt to "stabilize a war-inflated economy." "After Pearl Harbor, we went all out to produce goods for our own forces and those of the United States," he said. "The wool market was greatly inflated as the United States built up stock-piles; everybody seemed to want to raise wool, to the neglect of other agricultural products."

"At the same time, the government set up the 40-hour week with escalator wage clauses."

"Now the boom has burst, and we face the consequences."

Mr. Curthoys believes Australia's hope lies in greater production through harder work; diversification of agriculture, and elimination of "redundant" industries.

"We have far too many textile industries," he said. "And our wool men do not realize the competition they face from synthetics."

He regards the removal of R.M.S. Aorangi from the Australia-B.C. service as a "tragic indication" of Australia's isolation from the rest of the world.

He would like to see industries set up exchange plans for young men, with Canada, the United States and South Africa.

"I have argued this with Australian publishers," he said, "but they are afraid that a young journalist who went to Canada would not want to return."

On his present trip Mr. Curthoys visited continental Europe, the United Kingdom, the Eastern United States and Canada.

## Shop Owners' Majority for Five-Day Week

A majority of replies from retailers to a questionnaire prepared by the five-day week action committee of city store clerks, shows store operators in favor of a five-day, 40-hour week.

Peter MacEwan, chairman of the committee, said today his group is still awaiting word from a number of city merchants canvassed, but that response to the query has been good.

Retailers gave no indication as to which day they would prefer for a holiday.

Meanwhile, Mr. MacEwan said, the committee will cease its efforts until after the new year because of the forthcoming Christmas activity in stores.

## R.C.M.P. Ends Probe of Rags in Airplanes

OTTAWA, Dec. 10 (CP)—The celebrated case of the sabotaged R.C.A.F. Lancasters has been written off as a mystery.

Defense officials say the R.C.M.P. has informed the department that it has been unable, after five months of investigation, to find out who stuffed rags in the engine air intakes of nine planes at the Greenwood, N.S., base last summer.

The rags were discovered when one of the Lancasters took off and found one engine in trouble. It turned back, and the rags were found.

The R.C.M.P. checked the possibility that the rags had been inserted by a group of sailors who invaded the camp by night in a security exercise.

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## DUKE TRUE SCOTSMAN

### Edinburgh Eats Biggest Haggis Portion at Dinner

LONDON, Dec. 10 (Reuters).—The Duke of Edinburgh, who isn't Scottish, was a better Scotsman than any of the Scots at banquet here.

He proved it by tucking away more haggis than anyone else—at least that was his claim.

In an after-dinner speech Monday night to the Edinburgh University Club in London, he quipped: "I observed that I had by far the biggest portion of haggis on this table and I think I was the only one to enjoy it."

"Incidentally," he added, "I noticed that two gentlemen at this table made a point of arriving after the haggis was served."

Haggis, a spiced mixture of this and that stuffed into a sheep's stomach and steamed, is a national Scottish dish, but there are plenty of Scots who find it not entirely to their taste.

Prince Philip, however, manfully munched through his plateful. Born in Greece, he has spent most of his life in Britain.

## Canadian Navy Engineer Veteran, Cdr. McMaster's Funeral Saturday

Funeral services for Cmdr. Samuel McMaster, O.B.E., retired Royal Canadian Navy officer, will be held at Sands Mortuary at 1:30 p.m. Saturday.

Cmdr. McMaster of 3438 Cook Street, died in Victoria Tuesday.

He had a long career in the Canadian Navy, and was chief engineer of H.M.C. Dockyard, Halifax, and later flotilla engineer-officer during the Second World War.

Commander McMaster, who was born at Tullylough House, County Down, Northern Ireland, arrived in Victoria in H.M.C.S. Rainbow in 1910 as an engine room artificer.

He sailed to Halifax via the Panama Canal in H.M.C.S. St. Laurent and escorted the first convoy out of Halifax.

Commander McMaster's son, Flt.-Lieut. Philip Alexander McMaster, was lost in Burma.

Commander McMaster was a member of the United Service Lodge No. 24, A.F. & A.M., of

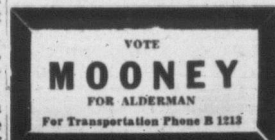
Victoria and the Naval Officers' Association.

He is survived by his widow, Bessie; a brother, John, in New York; one brother and two sisters in Ireland, and one granddaughter.

## Britain Reports Russian Imports

LONDON, Dec. 10 (Reuters).—Britain imported \$34,700,000 worth of Russian food and fodder in the first nine months of 1952 out of total imports from the Soviet Union of \$47,800,000. Charles Hill, food undersecretary, gave the figures Monday.

SEE "THEM" THURSDAY, DEC. 11, THE NEW '53 MERCURY METEOR



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## Russian Forces Better Equipped

N.A.T.O. Chiefs Learn Communist Army No Bigger But Get Better Arms

PARIS, Dec. 10 (Reuters).—Atlantic Pact chiefs conferring here have been told that Russia's Iron Curtain army is no bigger than a year ago, but is better equipped.

## WEATHER SYNOPSIS

VICTORIA'S SUNSHINE RECORD TO DATE, 1952-2,216.4 HOURS

**SYNOPSIS:** Strong winds are still blowing at some north coast stations in the wake of the active storm which reached the coast Tuesday. This storm weakened rapidly overnight. Temperatures remain at or above normal for mid-December.

Another storm in the current series is expected to bring rain and strong winds to coastal stations Thursday. Light snow will fall over the interior as the storm moves inland Thursday afternoon.

### DOMINION PUBLIC WEATHER OFFICE 9 A.M. FORECASTS

**VICTORIA:** Rain Thursday. Little change in temperature. Wind southerly 20 Thursday. Low tonight and high Thursday, 38 and 46.  
**WEST COAST:** Rain beginning after midnight, becoming showery Thursday afternoon. Little change in temperature. Wind increasing to southerly 30 Thursday morning. Low tonight and high Thursday at Steveston, 38 and 46.  
**VANCOUVER AND GEORGIA STRAIT:** Rain Thursday. Little change in temperature. Wind southerly 20 Thursday. Low tonight and high Thursday at Vancouver airport, 38 and 46; Nanaimo, 38 and 43.

### TEMPERATURES

St. Johns	Min.	Max.	Precip.
Montreal	22	34	.04
Toronto	24	34	.04
Winnipeg	20	27	.01
Regina	2	23	—
Saskatoon	1	23	—
Lethbridge	23	38	—
Calgary	11	40	—
Edmonton	11	38	—
Kamloops	27	38	.01
Vancouver	27	44	.39
Victoria	27	44	.39
Kimberley	28	33	.03
Prince Rupert	27	40	.17
Prince George	23	33	.17
Fort St. John	0	19	—
Seattle	40	44	.22
Portland	40	44	1.11
San Francisco	62	68	.19
Los Angeles	50	63	—
New York	51	53	—
Whitehorse	13	17	—
Ottawa	24	35	—
New Westminster	41	54	—

**SUNRISE AND SUNSET—THURSDAY**  
Sunrise 7:50 Sunset 16:10

### TIDES AT VICTORIA

Time	High	Low	Time	High	Low
Dec. 10	1:15	8:01	Dec. 11	1:15	8:01
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### TIDES AT POINT ATKINSON

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### SAANICH INLET

To determine tides in Saanich Inlet area: For higher high water, deduct 14 minutes; for lower low water, deduct 35 minutes; for half-tides (those other than highest and lowest), deduct 25 minutes.

### COWICHAN BAY

To determine tides in Cowichan Bay area: For higher high water, deduct 16 minutes; for lower low water, deduct 35 minutes; for half-tides, deduct 25 minutes.

### KAMLOOPS, B.C., Dec. 10

(CP)—Holding the budget line as directed by Health Minister Eric Martin, Royal Inland Hospital here has turned down employees' requests for pay increases.

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## ISLAND DIGEST

**ALBERNI, Dec. 10.**—Frank Revz, his son, Willard, 15, and a friend, Wayne Gray, 16, were saved by the barking of the family dog Monday night from burning to death.

The dog's warning awakened them in time to escape the flames that completely destroyed their three-roomed home on McLean's Road. The loss of \$2,500 to \$3,000 was partly covered by insurance.

**COBBLE HILL, Dec. 10.**—Following officers were elected at the annual meeting of the Cobble Hill Liberal Association.

Mrs. S. Tyreman, president; A. T. Motherwell, vice-president; Mrs. A. O. Price, secretary-treasurer. Members of the executive committee are Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Barry, S. D. Dougan, Mrs. M. Batchelor, Mrs. A. T. Motherwell and Gavin Motherwell.

**DUNCAN, Dec. 10.**—Residents of Cowichan Station complained Tuesday night at a meeting of Cowichan Agricultural Society that 50 bags of mail were left in Victoria Monday, and more on Tuesday, because the mail truck was too small.

The society will send letters of protest to the postmaster-general and to Maj. Gen. G. R. Peakes, V.C., M.P. for Nanaimo.

**PORT ALBERNI, Dec. 10.**—Fate of 260 parking meters installed last May on a trial basis was discussed by city council this week, when Ald. W. G. Hamilton said an honor system of parking would have to be adopted if voters decide to have the meters removed.

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## Nobility May Sew Own Robes for Coronation

LONDON, Dec. 10 (Reuters).—Britain's lesser noblemen, trying to figure out how to achieve traditional elegance for the Coronation next June 2 and still balance the castle budget, have been given another break.

The court announced Monday that their wives may attend in a garb less expensive by about \$600 than was required for previous functions.

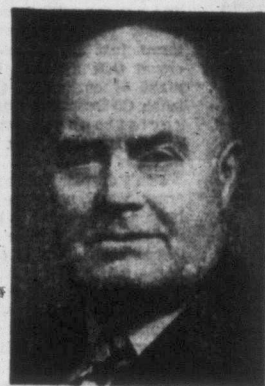
Elizabeth approved the decree, which presents the noblewomen with a choice. They may wear the old-style formal rich robes of state, at a cost of more than

\$400 in the new fashion: "a sleeveless crimson velvet robe, trimmed with miniver pure two inches wide."

Any viscountess or baroness—the two lower orders of nobility—talented with a sewing machine

can save another \$100 or so by obtaining one of the official patterns to be issued and running up her own outfit.

But if a lady is a countess, a marchioness or a duchess, she will have to attend in the full regalia, which many already possess.



JOHN McLELLAN

## Parking? or Parking!

Ex-Chief of Police John McLellan, for 40 years with the Victoria department, still an ardent worker for the welfare of your city, has a solution to the parking problem.

"Let's have the revenue from parking meters to erect off-the-street, open-paved parking lots wherever we can find space for them," Mr. McLellan urges.

All fees collected from parking meters rightfully belong to a fund for providing the cost of general traffic regulation, which includes parking facilities. At present, Mr. McLellan says, these fees go into general revenue.

To press this plan, among other progressive schemes, Mr. McLellan is a candidate for the Victoria Police Commission.

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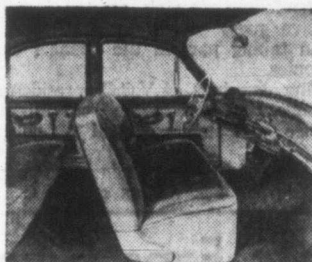
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### ... But They Had Fun Watching

A 45-pound curling stone was a bit too heavy a load for Rhonda and Diane Berkey of Duncan but that didn't cool off their enthusiasm in the opening of league play at the Cowichan Co-operative Curling Association's new rink at Duncan

Tuesday night. All eyes at the unfamiliar surroundings, the little cousins were among the most interested spectators that turned out to see the new rink get its first taste of competitive use. (Times photos by Irving Strickland.)

## Bentleys Turn Win Into Family Affair

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### IT'S MY VIEW

By BILL WALKER, Sports Editor

They came in overcoats and windbreakers. They came in gum boots. They came in sou'westers and they came in tartan berets, but they came.

They sloshed through the quagmire that was the entrance, made so by heavy rains.

The old sweats walked about with an air of authority. The novices, attempting to look at ease, failed miserably, as would you and I in a similar setting. The spectators stood by in groups, chatting nervously, staring in awe and wonderment.

This was opening night for the curlers at the Cowichan Co-operative Curling Association's new rink at Duncan.

President Larry Marshall stood beside packing cases of spanking new brooms ("besoms," to you curling folk), dishing them out one at a time as the contestants arrived, most of them for their first fling at the ancient and honorable sport, whose origin, like so many others is clouded in dispute. To Scotland goes the nod, though Flanders tosses in a blow or two in this regard.

It was 10 cents for a broom for the night, your name on a list on a packing case lid if you wanted to make an outright purchase. In the lobby rubbers were being fitted, some painstakingly, others easily, designating the rookie from the veteran, the novice from the curler.

Then into the rink proper. The veteran skips showing the newcomers the know-how. "Each skip has three 'greenhorns' on his squad," said Marshall. "We get more curlers that way. The response has been tremendous."

### An Air of Excitement Prevailed

There were the preliminaries, the novices getting their first feel of the stones, stanes, if you prefer. Then the first rock down the ice. Spectators just stood and stared. One little girl asking her parent "what are all those men sweeping for. Daddy?" But daddy didn't know the answer. Neither perhaps, did some who were sweeping violently. But the spirit was there, so much so that one overly energetic chap ended face up looking at the barrel-shaped roof while his broom remained firmly clutched in his hand.

"Pass this one through," the shout could be heard, while the concessionaires, busily getting their wares shipshape, turned at the sound of a cough, ready for business. But there wasn't much coffee sold this first night. Everyone came to see "curling." The ramp at the end of the rink was lined with onlookers. There was a smattering of spectators in the balcony, too.

All were willing to learn. Everyone was willing to lend a hand. There was a spirit of goodwill and the co-operation that had made the project possible.

It started last February with an advertisement in the Cowichan Leader by Marshall asking for those interested in a curling rink to attend a meeting. Thirty-one answered the call. Construction began July 29. The rink was officially opened Nov. 7. The promise was made that Duncan youngsters would have one month's skating before curling began. That promise was kept. Now it's "curling" that's a byword in Duncan, just as it is across the Dominion and soon will be in Victoria.

### A Good Reason for Community Pride

Sixty-four rinks in all make up the curling club's calendar, ladies and high school students curling in the afternoons, the others at night, six days a week.

The rink is simple in design, a quonset-type structure valued at \$29,000, the ice plant at \$28,000. Marshall estimates the total cost on completion will be \$59,000. And it's all paid for. The Duncan curlers own it by their co-operative efforts of enterprise and pride in their community. The same pride and spirit was in evidence Tuesday night.

And don't wager a penny that Duncan won't have a skating rink before long.

As another small tike, clinging to her daddy's coat-tails plaintively remarked: "Can't we go skating any more?"

The answer was: "Yes, and maybe we'll have a real skating rink by next year, too."

This was typical of the dignity in which the Cowichan residents hold their valley. And they have good reason to flaunt that dignity, which they do in a quiet way, as a pride that has been well earned should be held.

Well done, Duncan.

IF YOU WANT TO BE A CURLER, SAVE THIS

# You Have to Speak the Language

BY DENNY BOYD

If you were called on by your skip to close a port with a biter on swiny ice, would you know what to do?

Well, if you have spent most of your life in Victoria chances are you'd be up a tree with such an order. But chances are even better that within three or four weeks, you may learn these terms just as fast as did the crowd that attended the first night of curling in the Cowichan Co-operative Curling Association's spanking new \$59,000 five-sheet rink Tuesday night.

Don't despair that as a westerner you'll never be able to learn a game that has been predominantly a prairie activity. There was a crowd of greenhorns tossing stanes at Duncan Tuesday night, but in no time at all they were delivering counters and operating their besoms as if they had been at it all their lives.

Duncan beat Victoria out in the hotly-contested opening-night race but it is hoped that Victoria's eight-sheet rink will be in full operation when the old year goes out and there seems to be no reason at all why Victorians—even those who think all "in-turns" are in hospitals—can't jump on the band wagon that rolls so merrily for so many Canadians every winter.

The Duncan league opening was quite a sight for anyone who had never seen curling before, and several present hadn't.

The gaily-attired players, wearing toques and berets, heavy plaid jackets and rubbers, had a gala night.

The highly polished stones skidding down the sheets, the brooms flashing in the hands of expert wielders who do a dance that Arthur Murray should hear about, the encouraging shouts of the team skips,

pleading for a guard on the outside of the house—it's all part of a game that may become as popular as a raise in wages.

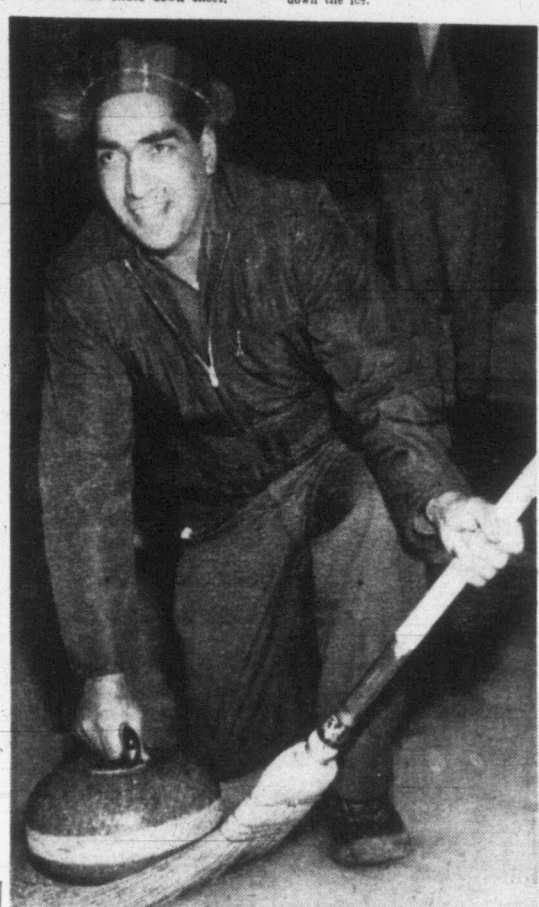
As the game has a language all of its own, a glossary follows that may help the novice to sound like an old-timer and will be of great help the first time the novice lines himself up in the hack.

Keep it handy, folks, you got to talk like one to be one. And you got a head start.

**CURLING GLOSSARY**  
Back-ends—Backs or bumper behind each sheet marking end of sheet.  
Back-rings—Portion of 8 and 12-foot rings in front of ice line.  
Besom—Curve of handle that connects handle with bolt in stone.  
Biter—Any stone in front of another.  
Brock—The foot support or brace at each end of sheet.  
Broom—The rings or circles to which the stones are being played.  
In-turn—A moving stone whose handle is moving clockwise.  
Last rock—Last stone played during an end.  
Lead—First man to deliver stone on a team.  
Mate—The third man.  
Narrow—A stone delivered inside the imaginary line of the skip's broom.  
On the broom—A stone delivered exactly on the line of skip's broom.  
Out-turn—Moving stone whose handle is moving counter-clockwise.  
Over-draw weight—A stone with just sufficient momentum to pass ice line or back rings.  
Pebble—Formation on ice surface caused by sprinkling.  
Playdown—Method to determine winner of competition between many teams.  
Pocket—Stones in semi-circular position concentric to rings.  
Part—Opening between two stones large enough for another stone to pass through.  
Pull—Amount in change of course taken as stone slides down sheet.  
Rake—When one stone moves another ahead or further along the line of direction to the end of the ice sheet.  
Roll—Any movement of stone after it strikes another.  
Rub—Drawing of one stone on another in passing.  
Runner—A very fast moving stone. Second-second man on curling team. Delivers second stone.  
Second shot—Stone second nearest to centre of ring.  
Sheet—The ice surface.  
Shot rock—Stone nearest to centre of ring.  
Side—Motion of a player in act of releasing stone during delivery.  
Slicing—Remaining in the rings.  
Straight handle—Handle does not turn during delivery. Is pointing back to player when stone stops.  
Striking—To hit a stone and remove it from play.  
Swiny ice—Ice on which pull of stone is greater than normal.  
Take-out—Removal of an opposing stone from rings.  
Third—Third man to deliver stone on a team.  
Vice-skip—Another name for the third man.  
Weight—Amount of momentum of a moving stone.  
Wick—Striking the corner of another stone.  
Wide—A stone delivered outside of imaginary line of skip's broom.  
Wobbler—Usually a fast stone that rocks from side to side as it moves down the ice.



**PEERING ANXIOUSLY** as a rock heads their way, these three members of one of Duncan's rinks are typical of the enthusiastic curlers who attended the opening night Tuesday. Skip Bill Wilson, centre, marks the target with his broom while Claude Beech, left, and Eugene Koster grip their brooms in readiness should the stone be too slow and require sweeping to guide it into the house.



**ALTHOUGH HE CLAIMED** he had never curled before, Karm Singh, a 20-year resident of Duncan, looked like an old hand Tuesday night at the Duncan rink. Tugged out in a colorful beret and cleaning his stone with his broom in the time-approved fashion, Karm was a centre of attraction with his accurate shots. He was on the ice all night and figures curling is here to stay.

### Doug Gets Two Goals, Bev Shutout

Saskatoon 2, Vancouver 0  
Tacoma 3, New Westminster 1

Direct action to end the threat of being toppled from atop the Western Hockey League in one night's activity has been taken by Saskatoon Quakers.

They opened a coast jaunt Tuesday night by whitewashing Vancouver 2-0 on two goals by Doug Bentley to increase their margin over Canucks to one and one-half games.

It was Canuck's second straight shutout, having been blanked by New Westminster Saturday night. They are winless in their last four games and have lost three games in three starts to the Quakers.

It looked for a time as though there were going to be two shut-out games in the W.H.L., but Tacoma Rockets had to settle for a 3-1 win over New Westminster Royals when Blinky Boyce scored for Royals in the third.

### ROCKETS PASS BOMBERS

The win moved Rockets back into fourth place, half a game ahead of Seattle Bombers, who were idle.

A rash of cuts and sprains healed, Canucks were back to full strength—temporarily. They lost defenseman Harry Dick for the game part way through the first when he was crashed to the boards.

Bentley scored his first goal in the second and another in the third and got topmotch support from the other Bentley, goalie Bev, in the Saskatoon nets.

Buck Jones and Wayne Brown scored for Rockets in the first and Doug Adam and Boyce exchanged goals in the third to complete the scoring at Tacoma.

Tacoma travels to Seattle tonight, Saskatoon visits New Westminster and Calgary plays host to Edmonton.

### W.H.L. SUMMARIES

	P	W	T	L	OT	Pts
Saskatoon	29	18	10	1	119	60
Vancouver	12	14	12	5	84	34
Calgary	24	12	7	4	88	38
Tacoma	21	12	7	4	84	38
Seattle	11	12	15	3	91	24
N. Westminster	27	11	11	3	82	62
VICTORIA	26	18	15	1	84	51
Edmonton	24	9	13	2	71	33

Next games, tonight: Tacoma at Seattle; Edmonton at Calgary; Saskatoon at New Westminster.

**SASKATOON 2, VANCOUVER 0**  
First period—Scoring, none. Penalties: Ross 6:00, Benick 7:41, Pontus 14:24.  
Second period—1, Saskatoon, D. Bentley (McCullough, Benick), 3:42. Penalties: Evans 3:04, Currie 8:35, Evans 12:46, Milford 19:47.  
Third period—2, Saskatoon, D. Bentley, 2:14. Penalties: Kaiser 11:31, Pontus 17:29.

**NEW WESTMINSTER 1, TACOMA 3**  
First period—3, Tacoma, Brown (Hale, Adams), 1:15; 3, Tacoma, Brown (Hale, Adams), 1:15; 3, Tacoma, Brown (Hale, Adams), 1:15. Penalties: Colman 4:11, Alderson 4:31, O'Connor 7:14, Beckard 8:46.  
Second period—Scoring, none. Penalties: Hamilton 1:35 and 18:20.  
Third period—3, New Westminster, Boyce (Bender), 8:29; 4, Tacoma, Adam (Kerr, Matthews), 10:32. Penalties: Bailey 11:35, Beckard 14:11.  
Oaks—Dechene 27; Stevenson 27.

**OAKLAND, Calif.—Jimmy Carter, 1954,** New York, outpointed Archie Whitewater, 141, Eureka, Calif., 18.

### MILBURN HAD OFFICIAL SANCTION TO PLAY

## City Hockey Squabble Appears in New Light

### NOW IT'S ALBERNI; RINK OPENS TONIGHT

Curling Inc. will take an even firmer grip on Vancouver Island with the official opening of the Alberni Valley Curling Club rink tonight.

The four-sheet rink, started just 10 months ago, will have guest curlers from Victoria, Nanaimo and Duncan taking part in the opening competitions and ceremonies.

King Jennings, A.V.C.C. president, and Norman Schroeder, president of the Port Alberni and District Chamber of Commerce, will officiate and welcome guests.

A Victoria delegation is composed of Max Zabel, Eric Bullock, Jack Adams and Al Graver.

A slender sliver of light today penetrated the abyss in which city hockey officials find themselves.

Ivan Temple, British Columbia Amateur Hockey Association representative for minor hockey on Vancouver Island, flicked the switch that may clear the air that is clouded with denials and counter denials, charges and counter charges.

Temple today quoted a telegram from B.C. president Larry Giovando which officially gave the "green light" to controversial Jack Milburn to play in Monday's Commercial League game.

Milburn, who has been reported as suspended, and not suspended by the opposing factions, the Minor Hockey Association and Commercial League, respectively, is the centre of the ruckus.

### PROTEST MOVE

His appearance for Individuals Monday caused Minor Association Bill Davidson and referee-in-chief Jack Lockie to resign in protest.

Milburn allegedly attacked Lockie last season and in the eyes of the Minor Hockey Association, with backing from the C.A.H.A., was believed suspended.

However, Sunday, Giovando wired permission to Temple for Milburn to play.

The telegram follows: "Permission granted Milburn to play in Commercial league until appeal is heard. This will not jeopardize standing of any junior or minor player that plays with or against him during games."

### GROUPS NOTIFIED

"Both the Minor Hockey Association and the Commercial League were notified of this ruling Monday morning," Temple said.

It is not known who is making the appeal on Milburn's behalf.

### RESIGNATIONS REFUSED

Meanwhile, the Minor Hockey Association has refused to accept the resignations of Davidson and Lockie.

No resignations have yet been received in writing. It is reported, and the matter will be discussed fully at a Minor League meeting later this week.

Davidson Tuesday said "under no condition will I withdraw my resignation," adding "they don't need a president any more." However, he agreed to continue to help the association if his assistance was needed.

**LOS ANGELES—Kenny Teran, 118,** Los Angeles, outpointed Tommy Umeda, 118, Honolulu, 16.  
**WHITE PLAINS, N.Y.—Mark Esposito,** 162, Esposito, N.J., outpointed George Holman, 163½, Bayonne, N.J., 8.

## Pirate Fans Give Odds On Haney as New Boss

PITTSBURGH, Dec. 10 (AP).—Pittsburgh fans will give you odds today that Fred Haney will be the next Pirate manager.

General manager Branch Rickey says nothing's sure but he called Haney here for a talk tomorrow.

Haney, manager of Hollywood of the Pacific Coast League for the last four years, has been considered a strong contender for the post since Billy Meyer resigned at the end of last season.

"I can't honestly tell whether I will name him manager or not," Rickey said. "There are several things dependent on the decision, the main one being if he really wants to become the Pirate manager."

"Another factor concerns his health. He must decide whether he is well enough to tangle with a difficult job."

The fans and Rickey alike agree that taking over the Pirates will have its dark days. The National League club finished seventh in 1951 and last this year.

Rickey has been recruiting young inexperienced ball players, but has promised the Pittsburgh fans a pennant contender within a few years. The fans will expect

### Carter Victor

**OAKLAND, Calif., Dec. 10 (AP).—**Lightweight champion Jimmy Carter of New York won a unanimous decision over Archie Whitewater, Eureka, Calif., Tuesday night in a 10-round non-title bout. The champion dropped Whitewater for a count of eight in the eighth round. Carter Engstrom in the other bout. Card weighed 136½, Whitewater 141. Starts at 8:30.



### HANDSOME BUD RETTAL,

a favorite of local mat fans, will meet Honest John Creteria in the opener of a three-bout card presented by Ken Williams, at Victoria Ballroom Thursday night. A popular rematch is on the main event, with Danno MacDonald meeting the villainous Masked Marvel, who beat MacDonald last week here. Arrogant Curt von Poppenheim tangles with Carl Hopkins in the other bout. Card weighs 136½, Whitewater 141. Starts at 8:30.

## Brown-Standley Tied In City Scoring Race

Toby Brown and Neil Standley, the twin jets of the Commercial Hockey League, are still tied in the individual scoring race.

Brown of Victoria Merchants and Standley of Navy both picked up one point Monday as Merchants shaded Navy 3-2. Each player has 11 points.

Army lost 2-1 and Les Corby was held scoreless but he retained his grip on third place with nine points.

## Senick Boosts Point Margin In W.H.L. Race

George Senick, of Saskatoon, increased his Western Hockey League scoring lead to five points Tuesday night, picking up one assist as Quakers shut out Vancouver, 2-0.

Senick has 16 goals and 25 assists for 41 points, while his nearest rival and teammate, Alex Kaleta, has eight goals and 28 assists for 36 points.

Gordie Kerr, of Tacoma, moved up to fourth place after setting up two goals in Tacoma's 3-1 victory over New Westminster. This brings Kerr's point total to 32, one point better than Eddie Dorohey, of Victoria, and Doug Adam, also of Tacoma.

Scoring leaders follow:	G	A	Pts
Senick, Saskatoon	16	25	41
Kaleta, Saskatoon	8	28	36
Mackintosh, Vancouver	17	18	35
Kerr, Tacoma	8	24	32
Dorohey, Victoria	16	16	32
Adam, Tacoma	16	15	31
Popple, Vancouver	10	20	30
Johnston, Tacoma	10	20	30
Finney, Calgary	15	15	30
McLeod, Saskatoon	17	12	29
Chad, Saskatoon	10	18	28
Rebel, Edmonton	11	17	28

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ENGLISH LEAGUE			
First Division			
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Sunderland	18	11	4
West Brom Albion	18	11	4
Blackpool	18	11	4
Sheff. Wed.	18	11	4
Sheff. Utd.	18	11	4
Sheff. F.C.	18	11	4
Sheff. H.	18	11	4
Sheff. W.	18	11	4
Sheff. T.	18	11	4
Sheff. C.	18	11	4
Sheff. B.	18	11	4
Sheff. A.	18	11	4
Sheff. G.	18	11	4
Sheff. J.	18	11	4
Sheff. K.	18	11	4
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Sheff. X.	18	11	4
Sheff. Y.	18	11	4
Sheff. Z.	18	11	4

## MARCIANO JOINS LIST OF NON-FIGHTING CHAMPIONS

# Idle Lies the Crowned Head

By OSCAR FRALEY  
NEW YORK, Dec. 10 (UP)—Honors continued to pile up today for Rocky Marciano but there was a growing uneasiness among his supporters concerning the future of the fighter of the year, hasn't laced on a glove since he put away front-running old Jerry Joe Walcott at summer's end. That's one of the chief contributory causes for the current uneasiness.

Because down in Camden, N.J., that pappy guy from whom Rocky won the title hasn't given up all hope. Old

Jersey is pounding the roads grimly and working out regularly as he prepares for a return bout which can't possibly be staged before March.

And, despite his mysterious age, you can't sneer away old Joe's chances. Maybe he should have been done long ago, even before he kayaked Ezzard Charles for the crown. But he wasn't. He is a physical marvel.

Rocky, a much younger gent handled on the premise, that his age is conducive to quick preparation, still is built along lines which indicate that he is quick to add excess poundage. No fighter can strip off quickly and hope to be at peak strength.

The question is, what happened to the fighting champions? Go back through the years

Australia — and then lost the title to Jim Corbett. Bob Fitzsimmons had been out of action two years when Jim Jeffries flattened him. Jack Dempsey had been boxing only exhibitions for the two years before Gene Tunney stripped him of the crown.

Dempsey at that time was only 31—and Marciano at 28 is far from being the youngest heavyweight king of all time.

The answer to this winter-time touring, instead of fighting, is that being a boxing champion progresses beyond the realm of pure sport. It is big business outside the ring. And the champion can lose away large packages of folding money without undergoing hemlock or the eyes or impromptu dental work.

Meanwhile, the public goes heavyweight hungry. Thus, come spring or summer, the cash customers jam the outdoor joints where the gate is appreciably larger than it would be for an indoor fight.

That's why Walcott was a "summertime champion," winning outdoors from Charles in 1951; laying off almost a full year before their outdoor return, and then facing Marciano before the weather sent the new champion into winter "retirement" pending another outdoor defense this spring.

It's good business, meaning less fights for more money. But what the fight mob wants to know is whether it will be good for Marciano. Only warm weather will tell.

## Brockton Strong Boy Named Fighter of Year

### PERCY PAYNE RETIRES AFTER 40 SOCCER YEARS

City soccer has lost one of its hardest workers. Percy Payne, Lower Island Football commissioner, has retired, it was announced today.

George Barnes, well known for local refereeing, has been named to succeed Payne.

Percy had been active in senior and juvenile soccer for close to 40 years, acting as referee in his younger days and later as commissioner.

NEW YORK, Dec. 10 (AP)—Heavyweight champion Rocky Marciano and George Brown, president of the National Boxing Association, today were chosen to receive the Boxing Writers' Association's two main trophies, the Edward J. Neil and the James J. Walker Memorial Plaques.

Marciano, the Brockton strong boy, will receive the Neil Plaque, presented annually to the fighter of the year and the man who has done the most of the sport during the year.

## ALL ROADS LEAD TO MINOR HOCKEY NIGHT

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All proceeds will go to minor hockey promotion, while the proceeds from program sales will go to the Queen Alexandra Solarium.

First game starts at 7, so try and be on time, even if it means bolting your supper.

## COMPETITION SUDDENLY STIFFENS Once-Proud Eagles Now Take Back Seat

By RAY SIDAWAY  
Somebody—namely Black and White Taxi—has clipped the usually high-flying Eagles wings.

The Eagles referred to are the soccer-playing birdmen of the Island Junior and Juvenile Football Association.

At present, they have hit their lowest ebb in two years—second place. But the point that really grips the Eagles is that last year they were nosed out of the provincial championship in Vancouver because there was lack of competition on the Island.

However, this year the competition is much better and the clubmen apparently are not ready for it.

The 28-year-old Brockton, Mass., better qualified admirably on both counts. He won boxing's most prized crown by knocking out Jersey Joe Walcott in the 13th round at Philadelphia, Sept. 23, and has been a credit to the game.

## Smythe Charges Prexy 'Covering Up' for Refs

TORONTO, Dec. 10 (BUP)—Conn Smythe, managing director of the Toronto Maple Leafs, accused National Hockey League referees today of "not calling penalties the same against all clubs" and charged that league president Clarence Campbell was "covering up" for the officials.

Campbell replied that he saw "no disparity" in penalty calling in the games he has seen this season.

Smythe loosed his blast as two Leaf players were put out of action with injuries—forward Max Bentley for three weeks with a recurrence of a back ailment, and forward Rudy Migay for six weeks with torn ligaments and a charley horse.

Smythe declared that six Leafs have been injured this year as a result of plays in which "the total penalties handed out was one two-minute penalty." He said he was not complaining about penalties called against the Leafs.

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O.R.A. SENIOR "A"	
Chatham 2, Brantford 7.	
O.R.A. JUNIOR "A"	
Barrie 1, Windsor 4.	
Oshawa 7, St. Catharines 6.	
Toronto St. Michaels 4, Kitchener 5.	
NORTHERN ONTARIO SENIOR "A"	
Sault Ste. Marie, Mich. 1, Sudbury 5.	
ONTARIO-QUEBEC JUNIOR	
Toronto Marlboros 4, Montreal Canadiens 2.	
THUNDER BAY SENIOR	
Fort William 6, Port Arthur 3.	
WESTERN INTERNATIONAL SENIOR	
Nelson 5, Kimberley 6.	
OKANAGAN SENIOR	
Kelowna 1, Vernon 5.	
SASKATCHEWAN SENIOR	
Moose Jaw 9, Melville 6.	

## Bluebirds Hold Lead In City Paddle League

Bluebird Cabs continue to lead the pack in the senior "A" division of the Victoria Table Tennis Association Tuesday as they nipped Heaney's, 27-23.

This win for the Cabies increased their lead over Robinson's Grocery to three points as the grocers dropped a 19-17 decision to Butler's Aces.

Macdonald's, whipped Berg's Music Shop, 17-12, to climb out of the cellar in the only other senior A contest.

B.C. Airlines and Jubilee Transfer battled to a 20-20 draw Sunday in the junior division.

Scores follow:

Bluebird Cabs—S. Neal & K. Olson 9, D. Baworthy 4, G. Ewerth 5, K. Lere 1. Total, 27.

Heaney's Carriage—L. Greenwood & D. Wilkinson 4, M. Woods & E. Goodwin 4, Y. Leong 1. Total, 23.

Butler's Aces—A. Neal & E. Brynjolfsson 4, P. Redford 3, I. Vye 2, Douglas 2. Total, 18.

Robinson's Grocery—W. Robinson & D.

## Minor Soccer League Standings

LOWER ISLAND JUVENILE AND JUNIOR FOOTBALL ASSOCIATION	
standings follow:	
JUNIOR DIVISION	
Victoria Combines	1
Tillamook	2
Victoria College	3
Funjab United	4
FIRST DIVISION	
A.N.A.P. Vets	1
Eagles	2
Harris Cycles	3
Ridley Twn. Town	4
SECOND DIVISION	
Eagles	1
Delta Electric	2
Canadian Scottish	3
THIRD DIVISION	
Mic Macs	1
Combine Fee Wees	2
Ragies	3
FOURTH DIVISION	
Black & White Taxi	1
Eagles	2
St. Louis College	3
FIFTH DIVISION	
Eagles	1
Shepherd's Dairy	2
Heaney's	3

MIAMI BEACH, Fla.—Glen Flanagan, 131½, St. Paul, outplayed Ed Centella, 131½, New Orleans, 18.	
Jubilee Transfer—B. Balma 6, W. Jay 4, J. Metcalf & R. Thompson 4. Total, 26.	
"A" DIVISION	
Bluebird Cabs	1
Robinson's Grocery	2
Butler's Aces	3
Macdonald's Ltd.	4
Berg's Music Shop	5
JUNIOR DIVISION	
B.C. Airlines	1
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## P.A. System Annoys M.P.

OTTAWA, Dec. 10 (CP)—Clarie Gillis, C.C.F. member for Cape Breton South, doesn't like the new loudspeaker system in the Commons.

Pointing to the microphones hanging over member's heads in the big green chamber, he said Tuesday that they remind him of a "miner's wash house" where buckets hang from the ceiling for miners to put their clothes in while they bathe.

As for the efficiency of the new sound system, he said all it does is give a harshness to voices. And often he couldn't hear the Speaker.

will show his bird film, "Bonaventure Diary" at 8 p.m. at the Crystal Garden Auditorium "The Grass Forest," a film featuring the insect world, will be presented in the afternoon to students of Central Junior High School.

The film lectures are sponsored by the Victoria Natural History Society.

Mr. Hermes has won many prizes for his still photography and his works have appeared in Life, Illustrated London News, National Geographic and other publications. He also took part in the Ungava Crater Expedition sponsored by the Royal Ontario Museum a few years ago.

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## MILLS URGED TO CHASE SMOKE DURING TWO-WEEK SHUT-DOWN

A "get tough" policy with smoke nuisance offenders after the New Year was promised by smoke inspector Thomas Walker at a City Council's public works committee meeting Tuesday.

He said a warning will be sent out this week to the 12 principal offenders asking them to take advantage of the Christmas holiday shut-down to make improvements to firing equipment.

He said most of the offenders were mills which will close down for two weeks.

Mr. Walker recommended formation of a civic smoke control board to help back up provisions of the smoke nuisance by-law. The matter was tabled.

## Heavier Fines Urged To Check Overparking

City Council's public works committee want the police to adopt a tougher policy toward parking meter violators and a system of progressive fines for repeaters.

Members agreed at a meeting Tuesday to write the police commission requesting stricter enforcement of parking by-laws.

The commission earlier had written the city asking that revenue from parking meters be earmarked for establishment of city-owned parking facilities. The committee felt present enforcement should be first tightened.

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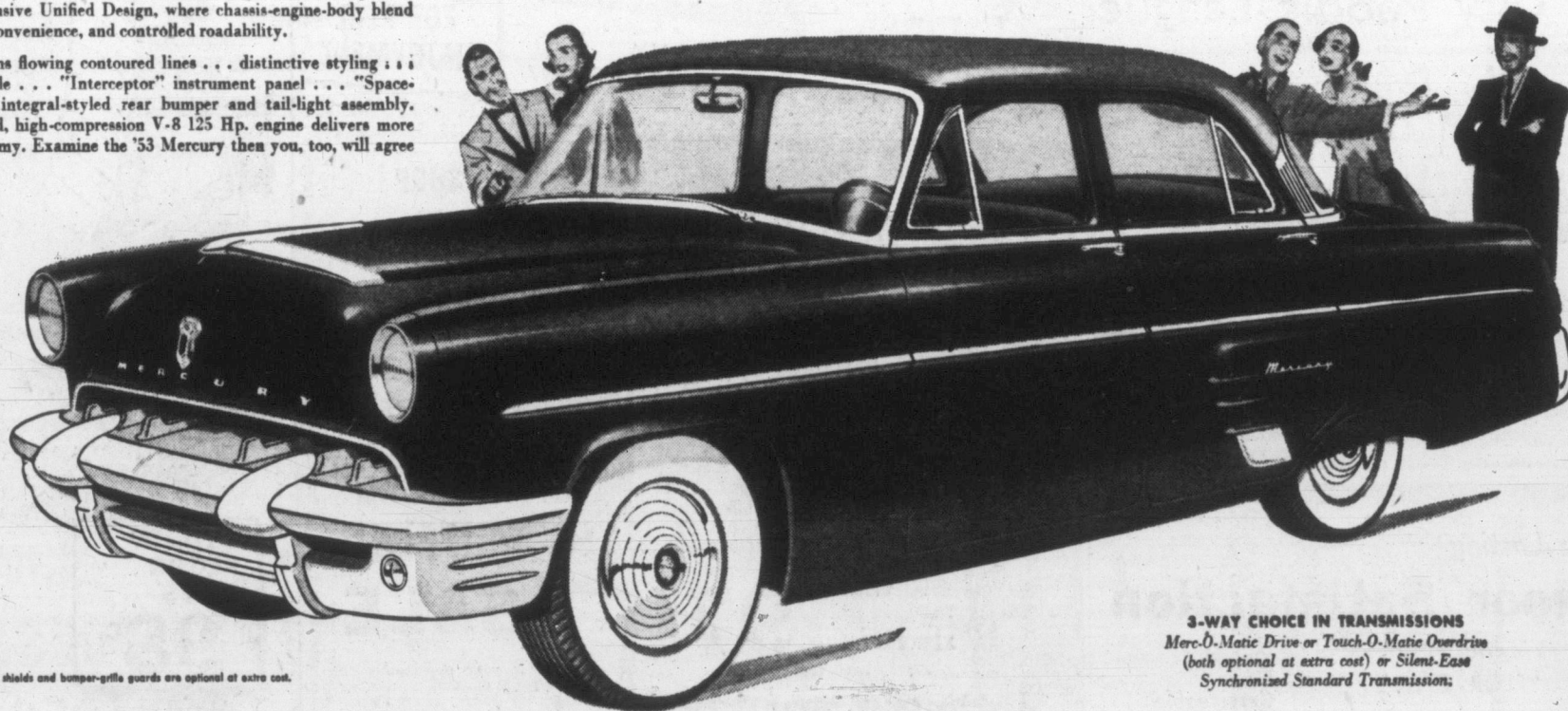
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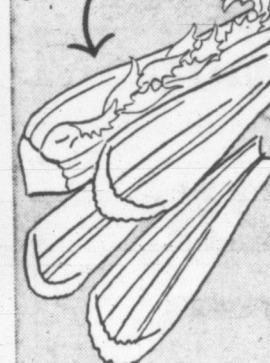
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## NEW 'PEACE' DRIVE

### Congress At Vienna Seeks to Split West

By RICHARD O'REGAN  
VIENNA, Dec. 10 (AP)—Delegates to Communism's greatest effort to convince the world that Russia is the only big power wanting peace have begun converging on Vienna.

Communists and fellow travelers from about 30 countries Friday will open a new "Congress of Peoples for Peace" which undoubtedly will call the Western powers warmongers and attempt to split them.

But as the first of 2,000 delegates were arriving, Western diplomatic reports reaching Vienna gave a completely different picture of Communist peace and what it has accomplished behind the Iron Curtain.

#### YOUTH CAPTURED

Diplomats visiting here from Red capitals said Communism is creating a new generation of fanatically anti-Western-minded youths willing to die in the belief that Russia and Stalin are the only "great, glorious guardians of peace."

Three years of a world-wide Communist peace offensive, they said, have left millions of chil-

dren with the idea that the West, led by the United States, plans war. The movement has been used to train children in war games from the age of six on up in Czechoslovakia, Poland, East Germany, Hungary, Romania and Bulgaria.

Communist educationists have used the idea to drum up a war-gear patriotism among youths who know nothing of Russia's world policies and believe their frontiers are threatened by the West.

#### TRAINED IN ARMS

With hardly an exception, every boy and girl in Communist countries is getting military training today. Leaders capitalize on their youthful longing for speed, adventure and heroism.

With their parents often terrorized, they know only what their Communist instructors teach.

A Czech youth song says: "When you imagine yourself shooting, make your target the cruel faces of the Wall Street mercenaries and murderers." Another song goes: "Aim carefully, and in the name of the party, peace and Stalin, fire."

### Further Power Cutbacks Talked

PORTLAND, Dec. 10 (AP)—Members of the Defense Electric Power Administration's Advisory Committee conferred here today on the possibility of additional cutbacks in use of Pacific Northwest power.

Recent rains were not general, or heavy enough to relieve the acute shortage, committee chairman J. Frank Ward reported after a meeting at Tacoma Monday.

### ROLL ON SUNDAY

Some weeks are miserable. You start off all wrong on Monday, feeling all washed up. And you go on feeling the same way. The only thing to do in a case like that is to tone up the sluggish system that's probably at the bottom of that half-alive sensation. If you are not really ill then it's a good bet that lack of pep and joy of living is due to kidneys and bowels not functioning properly. That means that poisons are accumulating, causing headaches and a feeling of general misery. So do something about it. Try Kruschen.

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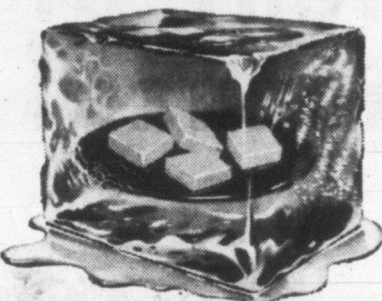
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TEA, Royal Tudor Quality, Black, 1-lb. pkg.	67¢
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### LITTLE DIPPER CAKE MIXES

Chocolate White Gingerbread Spice } 15-oz. Pkt. **27¢**

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## Victoria Ratepayers Go to Polls Thursday

For the seven civic offices at stake in Thursday's election, 13 candidates are completing campaigns today.

Eight are contesting the four open aldermanic seats: Alderman Arthur Dowell, Alderman J. Donald Smith, Alderman Frank Mulliner, Alderman Robert Macmillan, Alderman James Neely, ex-Alderman Millard Mooney, former mayor candidate Harry Haigh and Mrs. Jane Freedman.

Three are contesting the two school board seats: Mrs. D. P. W. Maunsell and Austin Curtis, present members, and Harold Whitfield, who has not served formerly.

The only other contest is for a seat on the police commission.

for which former Victoria Chief of Police John McLellan is a candidate opposing Gordon Carter.

Ratepayers will vote between 9 a.m. and 7 p.m. at the central polling station, Public Market Building.

They are asked to pass upon three by-laws:

1. The Pre-Debt Levy By-Law, seeking authority to set aside \$35,000 a year to meet a heavy debt load in 1964.
2. The Yates Street Firehall By-Law, which seeks an expression of public opinion on the council's closing of the station; and
3. The Pemberton Park Sub-Division By-Law, which asks authority to shift the present park's boundaries, and free present park lands for sub-division.

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Jap Oranges ..... 1.29  
Box ..... 2.55  
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Malt Vinegar Holbrook's, English, 20-oz. bottle ..... 29¢  
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# 13 Civic Candidates Jockey for Seven Seats



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... for alderman.



ALD. J. DONALD SMITH  
... for alderman.



ALD. FRANK MULLINER  
... for alderman.



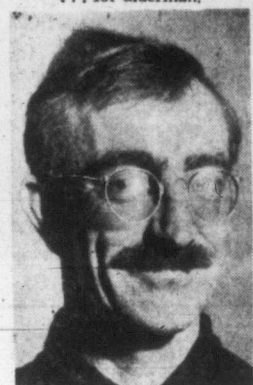
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... for alderman.



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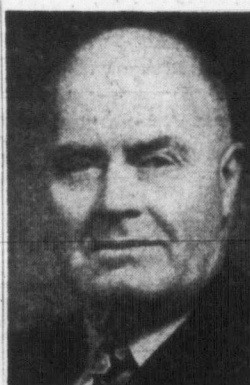
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51-gauge  
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Exclusive Baycrest nylons for every Christmas party on your list . . . the colors cued to match the gala whirls that mark the season! For fit, for quality, for lasting loveliness, give Baycrest nylons in the wanted lengths, and sizes 8½ to 11.

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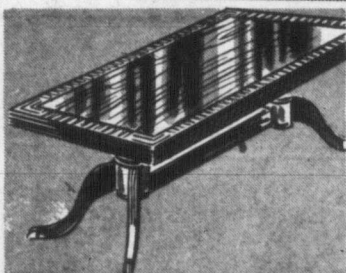
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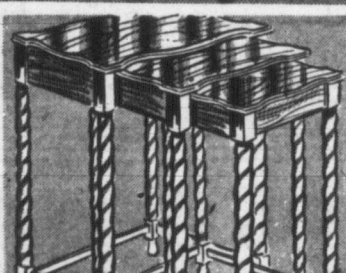
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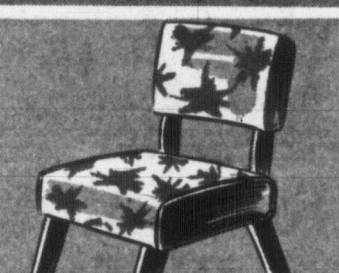
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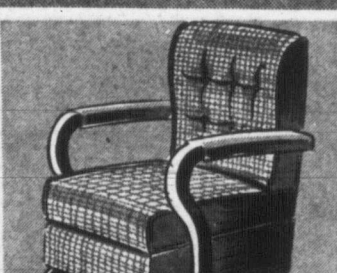
**Duncan Phyfe Coffee Tables**—Graceful 18th Century style! Genuine walnut or mahogany. Oblong shape. Each **42.50**



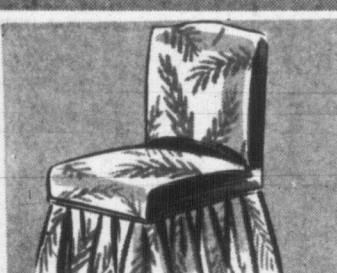
**Solid Walnut Nested Tables**—Solid walnut tables with Jacobean turned legs. Three to a set. Highly polished. **49.50**



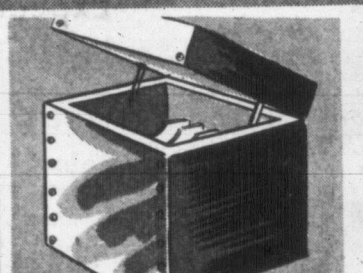
**Upholstered Occasional Chairs**—Spring seats and padded backs. Plain tapestry in Grey, Green or Rose. Each **\$25**



**Upholstered Platform Rockers**—Deep spring seat and back. Wonderfully comfortable. Rose or black and white. Each **\$45**

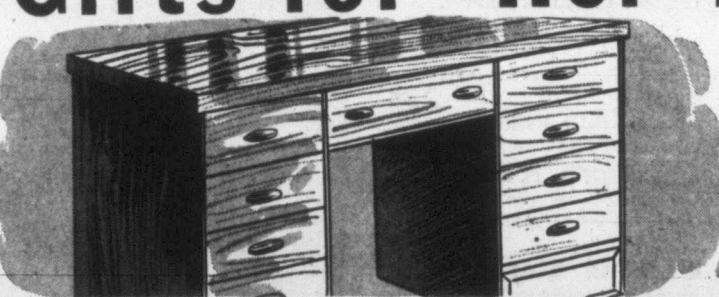


**Bedroom Slipper Chairs**—Gay chintz upholstery. Padded seat and back with frilled base. Each **12.95**



**Round or Square Box Hassocks**—Generous size hassocks. Ample storage space for sewing! Washable covers. Each **19.50**

## Gifts for "Her" ... For the Home!



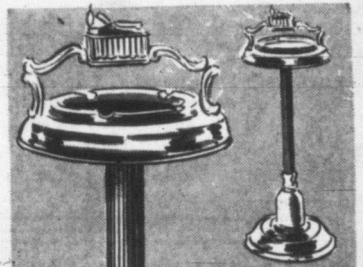
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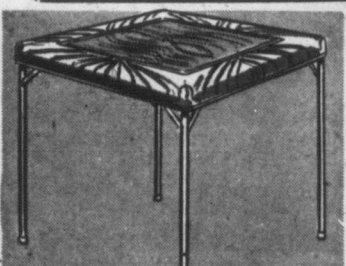
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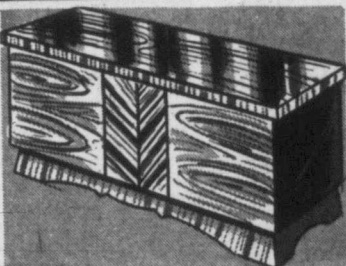
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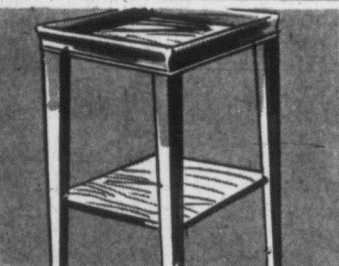
**Chrome Smokers With Ashtray**—Standard height pedestal smokers, glass ashtray. Fitted with automatic lighter. Each **12.95**  
Others at 19.95 and 19.50



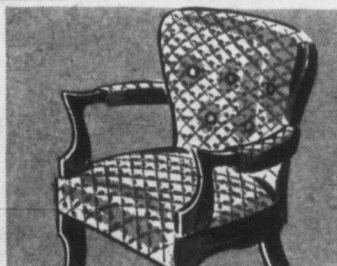
**Braced Durham Card Tables**—Washable plastic top in Red or Green; woodgrain or checkerboard. **7.95**  
Others at 2.95, 5.50 8.75



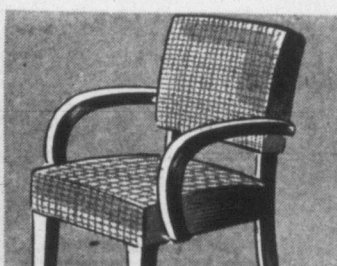
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**Standard Walnut Lamp Tables**—Genuine walnut wood with handy centre shelf. You'll want one for your home. **9.95**



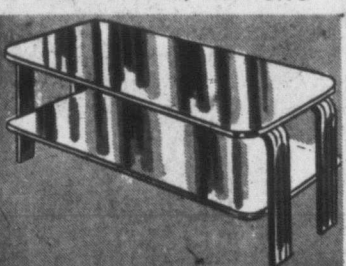
**High-Back Style Wing Chairs**—Soft spring seat, padded back. Upholstered in Green, Rose, Wine, Grey silk tapestry. **49.50**



**Mohair Frieze Hostess Chairs**—No-sag base, spring construction. Upholstered in choice mohair frieze. Each **26.95**



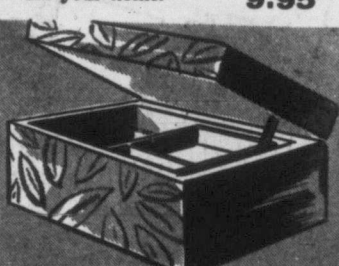
**Aristocrat Occasional Chairs**—Solid walnut frames with spring base and airfoam cushions. Truly comfortable. **79.50**



**Walnut Finish Coffee Tables**—Hardwood tables with rubbed walnut finish, attractive oblong shape. Each **17.95**  
Walnut Finish End Tables, 8.95



**Walnut Corner Wall Brackets**—Solid walnut or mahogany finish . . . styled to fit the corner of the living room. **12.95**



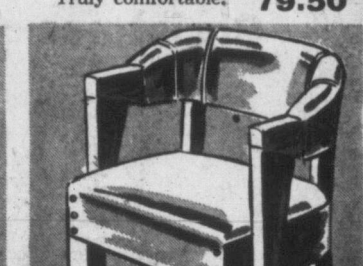
**Frieze Ottoman Sewing Baskets**—Double-purpose stools fitted with sewing equipment. In several colors. **8.95**



**Walnut, Mahogany Lamp Tables**—Duncan Phyfe style with round top. Standard height in walnut or mahogany. **29.50**



**Bright-Colored Round Hassocks**—Plump hassocks in washable fabrics. Use as footstools or "extra company" seats. **6.95**



**Bright Leatherette Den Chairs**—Cosy chairs with spring seats, in bright, washable fabric upholstery. **29.50**

BAY Furniture, Fourth Floor

TURN THE PAGE FOR MORE BAY VALUES!





## BETWEEN TIMES

By MONTE ROBERTS

The spirit of Christmas is abroad in the land: A quick-thinking Eaton's delivery driver in the Gonzales district saved Santa's reputation the other day.

The driver noticed a curious expression in the eyes of a very young man who was watching a kiddy car being unloaded. The kiddy car was destined for the young man's smaller brother.

The driver looked around, with a conspiratorial air, placed finger to lips, and whispered: "Don't say a word about this to anyone—but Santa Claus is so rushed this year, he has asked me to deliver some of his presents ahead of time."

I am constantly amazed at what women go through in the interests of producing delectable dishes from the kitchen. A cake recipe I stumbled across the other day advises:

"Beat vigorously with spoon for 2 minutes by clock (about 150 strokes per minute). You may rest a moment when beating by hand; just count actual beating time or strokes." All I can say is, it is very decent to allow a rest period. The slaves in the Phoenician galleys never had it that good.

While we're in the kitchen, I must report I have been re-buffed for relishing somewhat in my continuing exposure of FOO in all forms.

(FOO, you will remember, is that which results when females are swept away by culinary enthusiasm untempered by the laws of palatability).

Well, a mainland newspaper was recently guilty of awarding a dollar for a recipe which involved sweet potatoes, walnuts, and marshmallows—the whole unsavory mass to be baked together in the traditional moderate oven.

What, no mayonnaise? Punch has instructed me to extend his thanks to Pal, the dog who owns Miss Gerry Williamson, 210 St. Andrew's Street.

Pal was kind enough to sponsor Punch in "The Little F's," and the other members of that exclusive fraternity accepted him unanimously.

Punch's membership certificate arrived in the mail today, entitling him to all the rights and privileges of the Flea Free Fraternity.

I shouldn't snitch on Punch, as I would hate to see him thrown out of the fraternity, but Punch is not exactly Flea Free.

He insists on keeping one on hand (or paw) at all times. Says he likes to have someone to play with.

The headlines help when the column's short, or, it isn't the words, it's the way you read them: U.N. PILOTS KNOCK DOWN 8 MIGS IN HOT AIR WAR

Out-talked, 'em, eh? LITTLE BOYS PRESENT WEEK-END PROBLEMS

However, the problems can be settled in the same general area.

## TOPICS OF THE TIMES

Members of the Victoria Kiwanis Club will turn out Saturday afternoon, weather permitting, to plant a number of trees and shrubs at the Kiwanis Village site, on Cedar Hill Road.

The club intends to erect a community of cottages there for old-aged couples with limited incomes.

There's no closed season on yachting, so far as Al Lyford and Bill Pearce, Seattle, are concerned.

They sailed their 40-foot gaff-headed yawl Uvula into the inner harbor Monday night, to attend the Forestry Conference in Empress Hotel.

The two men keep the yacht in service all-year round. They were the first "small-ship" visitors to Victoria this year, arriving here Feb. 1, and will likely close the sailing-tourist season with their present visit.

Unless unexpected ships turn up, Victoria's deep-sea waterfront will be quiet for the next fortnight.

Next general cargo ship scheduled at Ogden Point is Ss. Drena, due December 23, and few lumber carriers are on the board.

Ss. Pacific Reliance sailed for the mainland Tuesday night, and the lumber ships Ata and Demeter cleared for sea this morning, leaving "The Point" empty of shipping.

Observations of the after-effects of war on people of the world were made by Air Marshal Sir Philip Livingstone, C.B., F.R.S.C., of Duncan, at the regular meeting of Victoria branch, Over-Seas League.

W. T. McLaughlin has been appointed conciliation officer in dispute between Victoria Van and Storage Co. Ltd. and 15 drivers represented by the drivers' division of the C.B.R.E. (C.C.L.).

Employees want a five-day week and a 13-cent hourly wage increase.

Doris Kempston, 3420 Cedar Hill Road, was fined \$35 by Magistrate H. C. Hall in city police court today when she pleaded guilty to a charge of careless driving.

He stated operators of premises with pay phones would receive more on the new 10-cent rate even with reduced commission, provided the volume did not drop sharply.

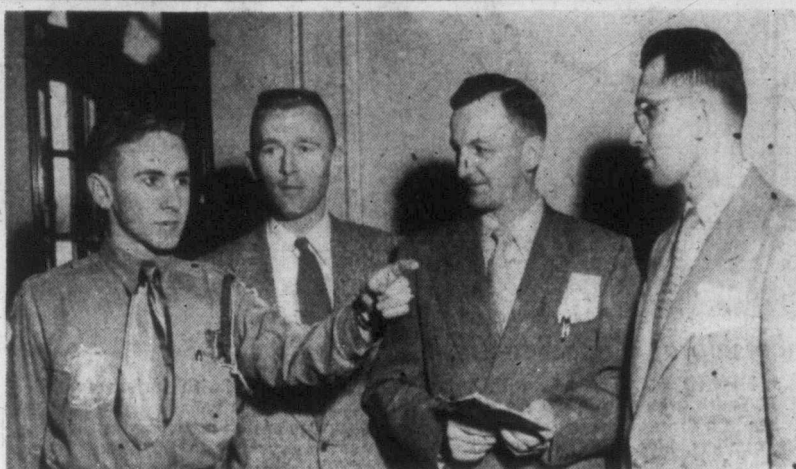
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## Vancouver Boy 'Guide' at Victoria Conference

Dick Lyster, left, of Vancouver, is one of two junior forest wardens brought to 43rd annual Western Forestry Conference in Victoria to act as messenger and guide. Above, Dick gives directions to

## B.C. FORESTS HELD BASIS OF SECURITY

### Industrialist Sees Increasing Trade

Confidence in British Columbia's future, based on her huge forest industry output, was expressed here today by Walter Koerner, Vancouver, vice-president of Alaska Pine & Cellulose Ltd., in an address to the opening of a three-day forestry conference.

The conference is the 43rd annual meeting of the Western Forestry and Conservation Association, of which Dr. C. D. Orchard, deputy minister of forests for B.C., is president.

B.C.'s forest industry, which is credited with bringing in more than half of the province's dollars, is growing by leaps and bounds, Mr. Koerner said.

Lumber production in this province has increased from 2,000,000,000 board feet, worth \$40,000,000, in 1938, to 3,500,000,000 feet, worth \$285,000,000 in 1951, he said.

Pulp and paper production has grown in the same period, he said, from 263,000 tons, worth \$11,000,000, to 962,000 tons, valued at \$116,000,000.

Newsprint production has doubled, plywood and veneer output is four times as large, and valued at seven times as many dollars, and the shingle industry, in the monetary sense, has increased five times.

George L. Drake, vice-president of the Simpson Logging Co., Shelton, Washington, told of new uses for wood and cheaper methods of converting wood into consumer goods.

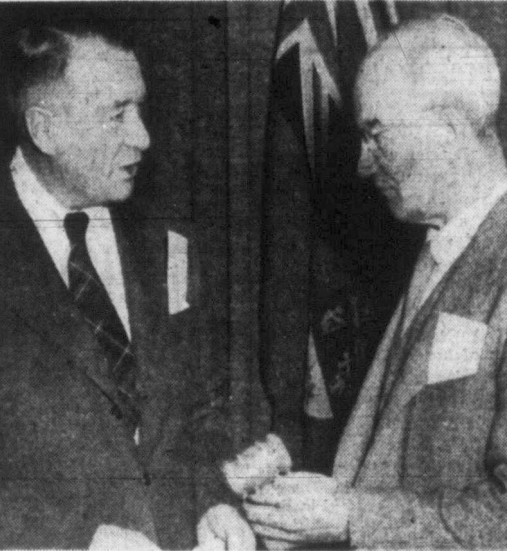
He said "weed trees" were being utilized now.

"Even defective timber stands in the Cascades are rising in value," he said. "Snags and wind-falls, tops and even stumps are being used where there are facilities for converting them."

Dr. Orchard, in his key-note speech to the convention, pointed out the international association had functioned for 43 years, and declared:

"It is altogether likely more thousands of people have profited directly and indirectly by the foresight and courage of those who conceived and initiated the co-operative body of all forest agencies, than from any other single effort in our area."

Slogan for the association is "One Forest Under Two Flags." The conference is scheduled to continue until Friday. All sessions are at the Empress Hotel.



Expertly-made hazelwood gavel was formally presented to Dr. C. D. Orchard, right, Victoria, president of the Western Forestry and Conservation Association, at opening session of 43rd annual conference today. Gavel was presented by Stuart Moir, association's forest counsel. It will be used by president throughout conference, and then kept as memento of his term of office. Dr. Orchard, who has his own woodwork shop at home, said he could not duplicate craftsmanship put into its making. (Times photos.)

## FORESTERS STAMPEDED

Delegates to conventions are accustomed to a long string of announcements, and usually pay little attention to them.

But delegates to the forestry conference in Empress Hotel today were all ears when the chairman announced:

"Due to a civic election in Victoria, the liquor stores will be closed from 1 p.m. today until 10 a.m. Friday morning."

There was a concerted dash for the door, and a few minutes later, the Humboldt Street liquor vendors premises was jammed with conventioners.

## Farm School for B.C. Investigated

The provincial government is investigating the possibility of establishing an agriculture school.

Farm Minister Kenneth Kierman said today the investigation is being made "with the blessings" of the cabinet.

The province is in need of a school of agriculture, the minister said. It would give a sound, practical course in farming.

## Gaglardi Sees Hope of Better Ferry Service

Public Works Minister P. A. Gaglardi today promised "all possible help" toward the operation of a 40-passenger, four-car ferry between Quadra Island and Campbell River.

He told a delegation from the Quadra Island Ratepayers' Association that his chief problem would be finding money for such a project, but that he would inspect the area in April.

"My answer is definitely not 'no,'" he told the delegation.

The delegation claimed the present 24-passenger ferry is inadequate at rush hours, and that students who attend Campbell River schools next year will not be able to cross on one trip.

Bad weather that hinders operation of the present small craft would not affect a larger vessel, the delegation said, and would also enable the 700 residents, who operate about 100 cars on 28 miles of island roads, to take their cars to Vancouver Island.

In the delegation were G. Clements, G. Rose, Mrs. M. Hendrickson and B. Noble, of Quadra Island, and George E. Bonner and H. L. Walmsley, president and public works committee chairman, respectively, of the Vancouver Island Ratepayers' Association.

## Stores Open Doors For Christmas Eve

### Early Wednesday Closing Is Abandoned; Last-Minute Chance Given Shoppers

Most Victoria stores will abandon the half-day closing on Wednesday, Dec. 24, and remain open until 5.30 p.m. so shoppers can do their last-minute buying.

But there is no set pattern for staying open any nights during the Christmas week. Some stores will stay open until 9 p.m., Dec. 22 and 23, but most proprietors seem to be waiting to see what the "other fellow" does.

"Everything hinges on what the big department stores do," said one store official. "If they stay open, they draw enough shoppers into town to make it worthwhile for the small stores to stay open."

Government liquor stores will be open Wednesday afternoon, Dec. 24, the Liquor Control Board announced today.

He said many store owners last Christmas found opening at night was not worthwhile.

An official of Eaton's Ltd. said his store definitely will not stay open any nights during the Christmas week, but will remain open Wednesday afternoon, Dec. 24.

The Hudson's Bay Company store, which was open two nights last year, has made no decision, but a spokesman indicated there may be a change in policy this year.

Woodward's store may open on the Monday or Tuesday night before Christmas, but no decision has been made.

Birk's Ltd. probably will open at night if the department stores do.

McLennan, McFeely & Prior Ltd. expect to stay open one night before Christmas. Kresge's Ltd. may do the same, but the decision hasn't been made. Scurrah's Ltd. will not be open at night, but like most others will not close on the Wednesday afternoon before Christmas.

Sweet Sixteen Ltd. has decided to stay open until 9 p.m., Dec. 22 and 23.

The provincial government is expected to lose a minimum of \$300,000 in revenue when it increases the 3 per cent sales tax exemption on restaurant meals from 50 cents to \$1.

This is the amount the former government estimated the increased exemption would cost when it was considering the same move now promised by Premier W. A. C. Bennett.

The loss in revenue could go as high as \$450,000, but officials estimated the absolute minimum would be \$300,000. There is no way of accurately estimating the amount.

The government also is considering recommending other exemptions to the Legislature at the spring session. These, of course, would increase the revenue loss to government coffers.

Among these are children's clothing and school supplies and certain medicines.

MAY BE HIGHER The government's revenue from sales tax in 1952-53 was estimated at \$31,500,000 at the outset of the year, but a buoyant economy may push actual receipts up to \$35,000,000 or \$36,000,000.

In 1951-52, the government estimated sales tax revenue would be \$26,000,000, but actual revenue was more than \$31,000,000.

Meanwhile, the government soon will be mailing cheques to municipalities—covering their semi-annual share of the sales tax melon. (Municipalities get one-third of the annual receipts).

The municipalities' slice for the half year is expected to be about \$5,000,000, compared to \$4,500,000 as a half-yearly advance last year.

This advance distribution covers the first six months of the fiscal year which started April 1, 1952.

The government bases its hopes for higher sales tax returns this year on increases recorded in retail sales—the barometer, by which sales tax revenue is judged.

In the first nine months of the calendar year retail sales have increased 8.4 per cent over total sales for the same period of 1951.

Constable Angus Stewart testified that earlier this week, Colli and the accused's lawyer, George F. Gregory, made a tour of the same scene "and I found that the Brothie light was not one of a blinding nature."

However, Mr. Gregory got out and flashed a flashlight at the car in the area from Dallas to the waterfront and it did have a blinding effect," said the constable.

Const. Colli had earlier told the court he was momentarily blinded by a flashing light, and he crashed into the truck.

Const. Stewart said it was impossible to tell whether the light Mr. Gregory flashed came from the land or the sea.

"I would suggest," Mr. Gregory told the court, "that Const. Colli, on police duty, was attracted by an 'unusual light,' as any policeman worth his salt would."

"I would further suggest, your honor, that what happened is not a punishable offense—but merely an unfortunate accident," said Mr. Gregory.

Case was adjourned to Monday.

## Gun-Carrying Charge Brings Year in Jail

Melvin L. Cliff, 20, of Kirkland Lake, Ont., one of two men apprehended by city detectives at gun point outside the Hudson's Bay Co. store on the morning of Dec. 1, was sentenced to one year in prison today.

Sentence on Cliff for carrying a loaded automatic pistol, was pronounced by Magistrate Henry C. Hall in city police court. Cliff had earlier pleaded guilty to the charge.

Magistrate Hall told accused that his sentence was "not only because of the current offense but because of your bad previous record."

"It is unfortunate that a young man like you has built up such a criminal record," said Magistrate Hall.

The magistrate indicated to accused that he was apparently the "one in a thousand" who had not readjusted himself to become a good citizen following earlier punishments for crime.

Alan Harris, 27, of Winnipeg, charged jointly with accused for unlawful custody of the pistol, was committed for trial on the charge after a preliminary hearing in the same court Tuesday.

## Veteran Quits B.C. After 59 Years To See Old Home

"I feel like a kid. I'm so excited, I don't know just what is up."

These are the feelings of 79-year-old Fred Graham, one of the oldest bakers in Canada, who prepared to leave Victoria today for Ontario—the province of his birth which he left 59 years ago—for a visit with his family.

Mr. Graham, who lives at his son's home, 990 Cloverdale, came to Victoria in 1893 from Chesley, Ont., and since then has never been out of British Columbia. He will be 80 years old in March of next year.

"When I first came here, Victoria was a small city with muddy streets," he said. "It seems strange leaving a city which you have seen grow and change so much."

Mr. Graham started to work for a bakery in Ontario when he was 12 years old. For many years he was in the employ of Weston's Bakery in Victoria.

## ASK THE TIMES

Q.—What is the world speed record for typing?—Miss B.B.

A.—Albert Tangora, Chicago, 147 words per minute for one hour under international rules.

Q.—Will you kindly inform me how to convert millibars to inches as shown on the average barometer?—P.J.I.E.D.

A.—One inch of barometric pressure equals 33.8621 in millibars at 45 deg. north latitude at sea level and at normal temperature. The fluctuation from place to place and at varying temperatures is very slight. The average pressure at Victoria is 30.36 inches, corresponding to 1,013 millibars.

Q.—Is Lake Winnipeg larger than Lake Ontario?—D.L.B.

A.—Lake Winnipeg, 9,396 square miles; Lake Ontario, 7,540.

Anyone wishing a question answered is invited to send the problem along to the Times, addressed to "Ask The Times" Editor. Questions and answers will be published daily.

All questions should deal with matters of fact and be of general interest.



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### Mrs. Mayhew Presented With Honorary Membership at Canadian Club Christmas Tea

The early festive season was marked by Women's Canadian Club with a tea in the Crystal Ballroom, Empress Hotel, yesterday afternoon. Adding significance to this occasion was the presentation of an honorary membership to Mrs. R. W. Mayhew, a member of the club for many years, who is leaving shortly with her

husband, His Excellency Robert W. Mayhew, who was recently appointed Canadian Ambassador to Japan. Among members who attended the tea were, left to right, Mrs. W. K. Willis, Mrs. H. C. Kinghorn, Mrs. James Hobson and Mrs. F. S. Bonnell.

Mrs. Mayhew, above at left, with Mrs. H. L. Smith, who gave a sincere tribute to her in a farewell speech on behalf of the members. Mrs. E. S. Farr, president, presented the guest of honor with a jeweled Maple Leaf and the membership certificate. At right, gathered before a decorative display of poinsettias, are, left to right: Mrs. D. MacLeod, Mrs. Stuart Davidson, Mrs. Arthur Stringer and Mrs. Sydney Love. The ballroom was elaborately decorated in the Christmas theme with towering gold candles and large gold and silver bells on the stage. Head

tables were centred with clusters of multi-colored Christmas balls and red candles in silver candelabra matching the silvered ferns which added to the decorations. Dr. Olga Jardine, convener, was assisted by Mrs. Gordon Wismer. Mrs. R. D. Harvey, in charge of decorations, was assisted by Mrs. J. L. Muirhead and Mrs. E. E. Livesey. Mrs. A. C. Pollard and members of the executive sold tickets and receiving guests were Mrs. Farr and Mrs. Mayhew. Members of the executive were serveurs.

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#### SHOPPING GUIDE

### Holiday Produce Picture Is Exceptionally Good!

By PENNY SAVER

We certainly are lucky to be living in a land of plenty where we have all we want to eat—an abundance in fact. I was talking to my friend on wholesale row this morning and he said the supply of fruit and vegetables for the Christmas season is going to be at a peak.

"We're not short on anything," he stated. When you sit down to your Christmas dinner you might appreciate it even more if you stop to think how fortunate we are here in Canada where there is no such thing as a shortage of food. Oranges, always popular at this time of year, are in good supply, but my friend suggested you buy your Jap oranges this week just in case the wholesalers run short. He told me that the Navel oranges from California are best for eating, but the Valencia are sweeter and best for juice.

Most of the vegetables on the market now are from California. Local crops are just about cleaned up. Lettuce is cheaper this week and celery is expected to rise in price and local hot-house tomatoes may do the same within the next week.

Brussels sprouts from California are now on the market. Good, too! Spinach is coming from the southern state instead of from Washington. The supply of broccoli from California is good and those who like rhubarb will be pleased to know there is a shipment in from California. It is selling at regular prices.

Good quality carrots with the green tops have arrived from the south but unfortunately they are a little higher in price than usual. Higher prices also apply to the cranberries from the eastern United States. They are done up in one-pound packages and are of good quality.

There will be three varieties of grapes on the market for Christmas, in fact they are in good supply right now. As you can see, the over-all food picture for the holiday season is exceptionally good.

#### P.T.A. Notes

**Jordan River**—Members of Jordan River P.T.A. realized \$115 at a games night with home cooking and superfluous stalls. Mrs. Sophie Fatt was convener. School children had a stall, supervised by Mrs. Fatt, with proceeds going to the Red Cross. Next meeting will be held on January 7, when a panel discussion on corporal punishment will be led by Mrs. Helen Prior and Mrs. Dorothy Ash.

**Oakland**—Mrs. John Gough officiated at opening of a Country Fair sponsored by Oaklands P.T.A., at which there was a good attendance and a sum of \$650 was realized.

#### CLUB CALENDAR

**Women's Union, First Baptist Church, Thursday at 2, lower auditorium, of the church. Guest artist, J. Pimm, accompanied by A. Jackman. Refreshments will be served. Home cooking stall, Baptist XI Fellowship.**

**St. Louis College Mothers' Club, card party at college, Friday at 8.30. Bridge and whist, draw for cedar chest, refreshments.**

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Combine spices, water, sugar and lemon rind, and boil 10 minutes. Stir in nectar, salt and lemon juice, and heat thoroughly. Strain and serve hot in small cups with a paper-thin slice of lemon in each cup. Serves 4 to 6.

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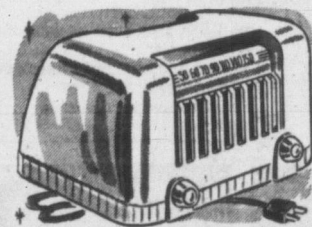
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#### OF PERSONAL INTEREST

Two December brides-elect, Miss Margaret Clapp and Miss Anita Beattie, were recently honored at a Chinese dinner given by members of the staff of the Civil Service Commission at the home of Miss J. M. Campbell, Sea Park Apartments. Gifts of silver were presented to the guests of honor. Invited guests were Mesdames Beth Brule, Anne Evans, Gladys Knott, Myrta Ross, Mary Yole and Misses Wilma Brown, Evelyn Christie, Dorothy Clayton, Marjory Dewar, May Dixon, Sheila Duckworth, Stella Ford, Phyllis Hearle, Joyce McCuaig, Shirley Ross, Doreen Thorpe and Evelyn Wood.



**Strawberry Vale**—Regular meeting of Strawberry Vale P.T.A. will be held at the school on Wednesday at 8. Following business a film entitled "A Closed Book" will be shown, followed by carol singing. Refreshments will be served.



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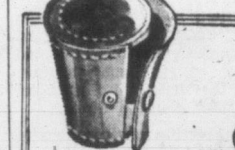
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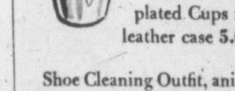
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## OF PERSONAL INTEREST

### Returns From Eastern Canada

Mrs. Basil Darling has returned to her St. Patrick Street home following a five-month visit in the maritimes, eastern Canada and the United States.

### Pre-Christmas Coffee Party

Adding to the series of pre-Christmas parties will be a coffee party in the Elizabethan Room, Empress Hotel, Monday, when Mrs. H. Jeffrey Terry will entertain.

Presiding at the table will be Mrs. H. F. Mathews, Mrs. A. Gonnason, Mrs. Maitland Young and Mrs. T. W. Walker.

### P.E.O. Chapter Says 'Farewell'

Members of Chapter K, P.E.O. Sisterhood, gathered at the home of Mrs. Harry Dawson, 10 Douglas Street, on Monday afternoon, for the annual Christmas party and to honor a fellow member, Mrs. R. W. Mayhew, who is leaving next week with her husband for Japan.

A decorated and lighted Christmas tree set the decorative motif. An arrangement of cedar and fir, and an abalone shell boat with the oar on the right side in the Japanese signal of "farewell," was placed before a mirror above the piano.

Chapter president, Mrs. W. A. Allen, received guests with Mrs. Dawson and assisting them with arrangements were Mrs. H. L. Campbell, who presided at the attractively appointed tea table; Mrs. W. H. Wilson, Mrs. Archie Wills and Mrs. C. N. Chubb.

A corsage was presented to Mrs. Mayhew with a watercolor pastel of Mr. Baker.

Others present were Mrs. D. A. Clark, Mrs. H. O. English, Mrs. G. W. Fletcher, Mrs. H. D. Gibb, Mrs. J. Haddow, Mrs. H. H. Hare, Mrs. O. B. Taylor, Mrs. E. Tomlin, Mrs. F. Jordan, Mrs. Beulah Latham, Mrs. C. S. Langille, Mrs. J. G. McFarlane, Mrs. F. M. McGregor, Mrs. J. B. Munro, Mrs. L. H. Nicholson, Mrs. E. Smith, Mrs. C. N. Westwood, Mrs. George Masters, Mrs. C. H. Gibbard, Mrs. E. Stuart Davidson, Mrs. O. H. Lamont and Mrs. Turner, a visitor from Ottawa.

Among those invited, but unable to attend, were Mrs. F. T. Fairley, Mrs. L. H. Eyres, Mrs. G. L. Agnew, Mrs. Charles Conyers, Mrs. E. Tuck and Mrs. J. A. Armstrong.

### Entertain at Dinner Party

Dr. and Mrs. Clarence Johns will be joint hosts with Dr. and Mrs. R. H. McDougall at a dinner party Friday in their suites in Glamis Manor, Oak Bay Avenue. Guests will number 20.

### 'Boy Voyage' for Travelers

Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Lund are entertaining this evening with a cocktail party and buffet supper in their home on Margate Street, to honor Mr. and Mrs. Art Roberts who leave next week for an extended trip to Europe.

### Reception at the Arts Centre

Following the concert of the Paganini quartet Saturday a reception will take place at the Arts Centre, 1040 Moss Street when Mr. J. Ronald Grant, president, and Miss Sara Spencer will receive guests. Mrs. Jack Barracough, Mrs. Harry Hickman, Mrs. Gerald Culver and Mrs. Eliza Mayhew will preside at the refreshment table while members of the women's committee will serve. Mrs. W. Humphries and Mrs. E. Seely-Smith are in charge of arrangements.

Among those invited are: Mayor and Mrs. Claude Harrison, Reeve and Mrs. J. W. Casey, Reeve and Mrs. Sydney Pickles, Reeve and Mrs. Percy Gibbs, Reeve and Mrs. A. C. Wurtelle, Mr. Charles Palmer, Mr. and Mrs. Ian Thorne, Mr. Stanley Shale, Miss Una Calvert, Miss Ethel James, Miss Noel Smith, Mr. and Mrs. H. Stubbings, Miss Dorothy Francis, Major and Mrs. Frederick Brewin, Mrs. W. C. Nichol, Capt. and Mrs. Massy Goulden, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Ireland, Dr. Oldham, Professor R. M. Sheldier, Mr. and Mrs. I. Chubb, Miss D. W. Atkins, Mrs. Godson, Mrs. A. L. Bates, Cmdr. and Mrs. A. J. Tullis, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Wootton, Miss Carol Wootton, Mrs. F. W. Grant, Mr. and Mrs. Wylie Grant, Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Fibiger, Mrs. Will Spencer, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Wylie, Mrs. J. W. Benning, Mrs. P. Nelles, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Yarrow, Capt. and Mrs. Maurice Johnson, Miss Elizabeth Forbes, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Loudon, Mrs. Dorothy Wrotonowski, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Arnott, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Hebdon, Major and Mrs. H. C. Holmes, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Hunter, Mr. and Mrs. Seth Halton, Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Keate, Mr. and Mrs. John Wade, Mr. and Mrs. Nikola Pavelic, Princess Chikhmatoff, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wilson, Mr. J. Barracough, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. K. English, Mrs. Eliza Mayhew, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Shaw, Mr. and Mrs. W. Gilmour, Miss Lola Maxwell, Miss Dorothy Mae Charles, Mr. and Mrs. Boyce Gaddes, Mrs. Mary Hammond, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Barr, Mr. and Mrs. Graham Steed, Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Jenkins, Mr. and Mrs. C. Y. Spratt, Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Green, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Siddall, Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Bate, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Barr, Miss Ann Clarke, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Donegani, Mr. and Mrs. Garth Griffiths, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Burns, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Baker, Mr. and Mrs. H. McWilliams, Mr. and Mrs. A. MacDonald, Miss Anne Collison, Miss Beth Collison, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Nordal, Dr. and Mrs. Simon Marinker, Mr. and Mrs. Philip Underwood, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Lewis, Mrs. George Nation, Mrs. Anne Johnston, Mrs. Jane Jermain, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Fahey, Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Fitzpatrick, Mr. and Mrs. John Harbron, Mrs. E. Ambury, Mr. and Mrs. Philip Holmes, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Nelles, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. H. Lort, Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Crysdale, Mr. and Mrs. Lionel Morrison, Miss Pat Wright, Miss Anna Clarke, Miss Muriel Land, Miss Nancy Little, Commander and Mrs. F. Fairfull, Mr. and Mrs. W. Johns, Mrs. Hobart Molson, Mr. and Mrs. George Masters, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Purves, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Carpenter, Miss Gwen Scott, Mr. and Mrs. Ken McAllister.

### Tea at Oak Bay Beach Hotel

Mrs. David McMillan entertained at a tea in the Oak Bay Beach Hotel yesterday afternoon.

Presiding at the tea table were Mrs. George Hughes and Mrs. Frank Boughton. Guests numbered 50.

Miss A. M. Woodroffe, Tarn Place, entertained friends on Tuesday at a small luncheon at Victoria Golf Club.

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Olson have returned to their Somass Drive home following a two-and-a-half-month trip abroad during which time they visited Scotland, England, France, Switzerland, Italy and Spain.

Mr. and Mrs. Ian Ross, Shasta Place, with their two children, Robin-Lee and Christopher, are leaving Sunday for Chicago, where they will spend the Christmas season with Mrs. Ross' mother, Mrs. L. J. Braidy.

Victorians who attended the wedding of Mary Anita Bennett and Geoffrey Howard Tozer this afternoon in Kelowna were Hon. T. J. Rolston, Hon. and Mrs. R. Chetwynd, Mr. and Mrs. S. Stewart, Mr. and Mrs. R. K. Morrison, Kathryn and Barry. Among the other guests were Mr. and Mrs. T. Super, Mrs. C. Anders, Mrs. C. Coburn, Mr. and Mrs. W. Neville and Hon. and Mrs. R. Bonner.

Out-of-town guests at the wedding yesterday afternoon of Miss Betty Lou Horton and Mr. W. Malcolm Watson were Mrs. L. G. Horton, grandmother of the bride, Seattle; Mrs. Merrick Horton, her great-aunt, Oak Bay, Wash.; Mrs. Hurston Calmfit,

# Women

Victoria Daily Times WEDNESDAY, DEC. 10, 1932 19

## Premier's Daughter Is Married At Nuptial Service in Kelowna

Of interest throughout the province was the marriage this afternoon of Mary Anita Bennett, daughter of Premier W. A. C. Bennett and Mrs. Bennett, Victoria and Kelowna, and Geoffrey Howard Tozer, Hay River, Northwest Territories, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Tozer, Kelowna.

Rev. R. S. Leitch officiated at the ceremony in First United Church, Kelowna, held on the groom's birthday.

The church was decorated with cedar boughs, holly, and white and silver bells. Guests' pews were marked with cedar boughs and two wedding bells.

Miss Kathleen Drysdale, Vancouver, sang "Love's Coronation," during the signing of the register.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a gown of lace over shimmering satin with fitted bodice and high neckline

touched with a small collar. The full three-tiered skirt of scalloped lace was posed over satin and her chapel-length veil of French illusion net cascaded from a headdress of matching material.

Her shower bouquet was garlands and feathered white chrysanthemums.

Miss Helen Jackson, Kelowna, maid of honor; Miss Kathryn Morrison, Victoria, and Miss Marlyn Rolph, Kelowna, bridesmaids, wore identical gowns of emerald green taffeta fashioned with ballerina-length full skirts and fitted bodices framed with large collars. They carried bouquets of creamy-yellow feathered chrysanthemums.

Hugh Tozer was best man for his brother and ushers were R. S. Bennett, Bill Bennett, Tony Tozer, Fred Mortimer, Donald Roberts and Steve Scott.

Holly and cedar with wedding bells also decorated the reception rooms at the Royal Anne Hotel. The bride's table was centred with a four-tier cake topped with a dainty crocheted basket of flowers. R. T. Marriage, Kelowna, proposed the toast to the bride.

For her traveling costume the bride wore a red gabardine tailleur with black accessories.

The newlyweds will make their home at Hay River, Northwest Territories.



### On Younger Set Social Calendar

Miss Donna Kerr and Miss June Bell work on posters for the Sub-Deb Ball to be held in the Empress Hotel on Dec. 29, from 9 to 1, with Bernie Porter's orchestra playing all the popular music so loved by teen-agers. The ball, outstanding event in the Christmas party season for the sub-deb set, is sponsored by Major John Hebdon Gillespie Chapter, I.O.D.E. Mrs. Peter Bell is general convener.

## Betty Lou Horton-Malcolm Watson Married in Candlelight Ceremony

An exquisite all-white setting created with floral touches and soft candlelight set the motif for the wedding of Betty Lou Horton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Russell B. Horton, Victoria, and W. Malcolm Watson, Seattle, son of Mrs. W. Watson, Denver, Colo., and the late Mr. Watson.

Archdeacon A. E. de L. Nunns officiated at the ceremony late yesterday afternoon in St. Mary's Church, Oak Bay. The day also marked the 33rd wedding anniversary of the bride's parents.

Lighted candles were placed at the chancel rail and at the altar, while guest pews were marked with beehive chrysanthemums and white heather.

Traditional wedding music was played as the bride walked on the aisle on the arm of her father, and during the signing of the register, Miss Joyce Danbridge sang "O Perfect Love."

Twilight-ivory satin created the lustrous bridal gown, styled with molded bodice with a sweetheart neckline and sheath lily point sleeves buttoned to the wrist.

The graceful flaring skirt extended to a semi-court train. The bride's dark hair was caressed with a tight-fitting cap studded with iridescent sequins from which misted a floor-length veil.

She wore her pearl necklace the groom's gift, pearl drop earrings.

Her bouquet was a crescent of gardenias.

Mrs. A. Hoadley Mitchell was her sister's only attendant. She chose a classically styled gown in jade green-satin fashioned with slight train, with a matching Juliet cap and carried golden beehive chrysanthemums.

Mrs. Horton, mother of the bride, was gowned in lilac mauve lace with matching cap complemented with an orchid. The groom's mother, Mrs. Watson, chose a gown of powder blue crepe with small petal hat of pink velvet complemented with a pale mauve orchid corsage.

Harold Sykora, Portland, was best man, and ushers were Dean Johnson, Olympia, Wash., A. Hoadley, Edmonton and Harold Brown, Victoria.

The all-white theme was again predominate in decorations for the reception in the Beach Drive home of the bride's parents, where the bridal party received guests before a fireplace, banked with large white chrysanthemums and ferns. The bride's table was covered with an exquisite Madiera cloth and centred with a three-tier wedding cake, flanked by crystal vases of white carnations and tall lighted candles in crystal holders.

T. A. Brown proposed the toast to the bride and M. Fitzgerald which misted a floor-length veil.

Upon leaving for her honeymoon in California, Mrs. Watson

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## WHY GROW OLD?

By JOSEPHINE LOWMAN

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In the animal kingdom human beings are unique because they do not take naps. Our dog would not think of going through a day of activity without taking several naps. Cats, the most relaxed of all animals, do a great deal during the day. I suppose this is the reason for calling short snoozers catnaps. Only human beings rush from morning to night and then wonder why they are tired!

This is a habit which can be developed. Don't say you do not have time. Your daytime nap can vary in length from a few minutes to a couple of hours, depending on how much time you have for it. Some people can nap sitting up while others must undress and lie down in a darkened

room. Practice will improve your ability to take a daytime nap. The best time for your nap is between noon and the evening meal. Many people profit greatly by a noon day nine winks, either before or after lunch. There are many famous examples of this. Another good time for the nap is just before the evening meal. Believe me, this will boost the quality and amount of conversation.

Families gather together at the time most calculated to cause friction. They are all tired at the end of the day unless they have indulged in a nap during the day, and this situation creates a poor grade of companionship and family happiness. Take your nap

earlier if necessary but let your husband have one when he first returns from work, and you will find your evenings together more pleasurable.

If you cannot sleep, even the rest will be refreshing. When you lie down you immediately remove body strains. Muscles can rest, the heart beat is slower and blood pressure lowers. Relax completely and you will gain almost as much benefit as you would have from sleep.

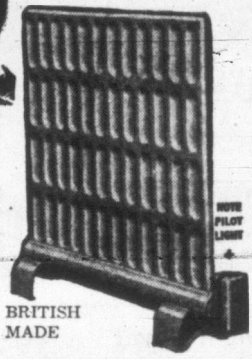
Those who are bothered with insomnia sometimes hesitate to take day time naps because they feel it will make them sleep even more poorly at night. This is not sound logic, and in most cases, is not true. One of the main reasons for insomnia is tenseness and over fatigue.

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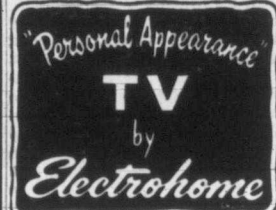


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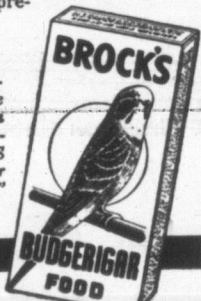
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### AS WE LIVE

## Stepmother Must Demand More Respect or Get Out

By ELIZABETH B. HURLOCK, Ph.D.

The role of a stepmother is one of the hardest jobs in the world. It is also one of the most unappreciated, as the writer of this letter has discovered:



Hurlock

(Q)—"I am married to a man whose wife died and left him with five children. Four were at home when we married. Two of them are now married. It is the married daughters who are causing trouble. Everything I do is wrong. They don't want their younger sisters, 11 and 16, to help me. I have two small children of my own and I have not been well. Their father doesn't discipline these two girls and the older sister tell people how I mistreat the two at home. I am not supposed to have anything to say about what they do. They seem to be just mine to work for."

(A)—I think the time has come for you to call a family conference and put your problem before the whole family. It's time your husband stood up for you and saw to it that the children whom you have taken care of since their mother's death showed you respect and appreciation.

It is absurd for you to keep working for people whose only thanks is an insult. If you are not supposed to have any say about your stepdaughters' upbringing, then let their father and sisters take over your job.

If the older daughters keep causing trouble by turning their younger sisters against you, keep them out of the house or get out of it yourself. Whatever you do, put a stop to their trouble-making.

So long as you are willing to take their mistreatments you cannot expect anything else. If, however, you stiffen your backbone and demand respect and help, you are likely to get it. You may have to take a temporary vacation from your home, taking your own children with you, and letting your stepdaughters and husband run things themselves. This will be the quickest way to bring them to their senses.

If you have a problem about family or friend, ask Dr. Hurlock to help you. Write in care of this newspaper.

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## WALL OF PREJUDICE?

(Continued from Page 1)

The Chinese officials insisted that the congress delegates should remain in China until the end of October. They said they had planned several trips to the principal industrial cities and promised us a week of discussions on China and her problems.

It didn't take me long to see that any trip of mine to a Canadian missionary was being relegated to some distant and uncertain date. I didn't want to embarrass the missionaries who were having a hard enough time as it was, living under guard and some of them in prison, we had heard. I decided to abandon the project and go home at the end of the congress.

### YOU'RE NOT LEAVING!

My seat was booked on the plane which left the next morning. My bags were packed and had been sent off when Dr. Ma, the principal of Peking University, came to see me. He was with another Chinese whose name I don't remember. I had met them both several times during the congress.

"We've been told that you're leaving tomorrow morning, Mr. Filion."

"That's right."

"You're making a mistake. You haven't seen anything of China yet. China is a very big country, you know, and is a very old civilization. You should take advantage of your trip here to see as much as possible."

"You're right and I would be very happy to accept your invitation to stay until the end of October but I have a family and a newspaper waiting for me and I've got to get home."

"But you mustn't leave so soon, Mr. Filion. You haven't seen any of the sights yet. Stay over for another week and we'll see the sights together."

"It's very kind of you but my bags have already been sent off and I'll be taking the plane in a few hours."

"You will regret it, Mr. Filion. Next week we're going to have forums and discussions on China and then we're going to take the delegates to see Shanghai, and Nanking and Canton. Besides, you have your Canadian missionary friends you want to see. As soon as the official program is over, you'd be able to go and see them."

### ORIENTAL SUAVITY

All this was delivered with the politeness and smoothness which only Orientals seem to be able to master.

So I really can't say I was refused permission to visit the Canadian missionaries. The Chinese never say no. If they don't want to do a thing, they just keep putting it off until "later."

There is, however, no need to have experienced it personally to understand the nature of the persecution which missionaries have suffered in China. The stories of the thousands who have managed to get out are proof enough. So many men and women could not all be telling lies at the same time in the same way.

### REASONS FOR PERSECUTION

I wanted to find out from the Chinese themselves the reasons why they had expelled the missionaries. I'll give you for what they are worth, the answers I got.

First, the missionaries have made the mistake of being foreigners. In New China this is a

capital sin. The Chinese under Mao-tse-tung are even more ferociously nationalistic than those under Chiang Kai-shek. This hatred of foreigners is nothing new. It has always been present, in one form or another, during the 4,000 years of China's history.

Although Buddhism was imported from India almost 2,000 years ago, it is still considered something of a foreign religion. It is not strange, therefore, that Christianity which is still so young in China has affected less than one per cent of the Chinese people.

Missionaries are white. And white is synonymous with exploiters. Businessmen and industrialists from America and Europe who set up shop in China did not make Christian civilization look its best. They are the white men who introduced opium and prostitution to China. Most of these western merchants cleared out of the country with Chiang Kai-shek. The only ones who stayed behind were the missionaries and the injured.

As a final point, it must be that the Chinese government is a Marxist government and therefore officially atheistic. It is not surprising that it treats religion the same way the People's Democracies do. The first victims, of course, are the missionaries, but the Chinese clergy has its own trouble.

No matter what happens it looks as if the missionary era has been interrupted, at least for some time. This is as true for Protestants as it is for Catholics. The few hundred missionaries still left in China will be deported next month, or next year. This fact is obvious if you talk about it with any one of the Chinese authorities.

All this doesn't mean that Christianity is destined to disappear in China. But certainly its expansion is going to be delayed for a long time.

### Diamond Merchant Robbed of Jewels

NEW YORK, Dec. 10 (AP).—A Brooklyn diamond merchant was robbed of \$15,000 in jewelry early today by three men who met him outside his home and took his glasses to prevent him from identifying them.

Police said Jack Kastin, 48, was entering his automobile when the two men approached him. One grabbed Kastin's glasses. Then they forced him to enter another automobile and Kastin was driven around for 20 minutes before being freed.



ALD. J. D. SMITH

## BRITONS GOOD EXAMPLE

### Korea Veteran Says Canadians There Brought Credit to Land

British troops are still the finest soldiers in the world, a young, battle-experienced Canadian officer told the Victoria Kiwanis Club at their Tuesday luncheon meeting.

Capt. Bob Swinton of Vancouver, who served with the Seaforth Highlanders in World War II and with the first division of the P.C.C.L. in Korea, told Kiwanians of his experience in the Asiatic country.

He described British soldiers as "excellent."

"You hear so little about them. But they deserve the real credit," he said. "We were always happy when British units were on our flanks, in Korea. You can rely on them."

When the first division of Canadians was indoctrinated into the Korean war, they fought beside British regulars, he said.

"We certainly profited by it," he added.

"Most of the men in our lines were youngsters in their twenties."

Many of them, he said, joined because they considered the Korean affair a "travel war."

Men who went to Korea, he said, were not motivated to service by any "king-and-country desire," such as existed during the Second World War.

The Canadians, nevertheless, performed nobly and brought great credit to themselves.

He estimated Canada had placed 20,000 men in the lines, and counting all behind-the-lines personnel and brigade staff people, had called upon close to 40,000 for the Korean effort.

"That's a big contribution for a country our size in time of peace," he said.

Capt. Swinton expressed the opinion that President Truman had acted wisely in answering the Communists' challenge in Korea.

"We had to stop it somewhere," he said. "If we had not done it there, we would have had to deal with them in Canada. And as much as I hate messing up somebody else's back yard, I'd rather it be somebody else's than our own."

The captain said that during the early stages of the war there was a certain excitement because of the great thrusts and advances. Now, he said, it's a nerve-wracking war of holding positions, repelling small attacks and undertaking patrol missions.

Company patrols, made up of about 100 men, are often sent out to wander around five days, in the hope of catching a prisoner or two or finding some useful information.

Referring to Gen. Eisenhower's recent visit to the war front, Capt. Swinton commented: "I



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There were a total of 41,193 post offices in the United States and its possessions as at July 1, 1951.

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## Denominational Ruling Asked

OTTAWA, Dec. 10 (CP).—The Supreme Court of Canada has been asked to declare that Jehovah's Witnesses form a religious denomination, entitled to the same freedom as other denominations.

The request was made by W. Glen How of Toronto, counsel for the Witnesses, while arguing against the validity of a Quebec City by-law under which members of the Witnesses have been prosecuted for distributing tracts.

The Virgin Islands in the Panama Canal zone were acquired by the United States from Denmark in 1917.

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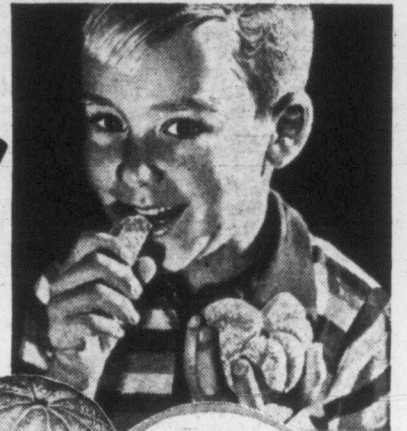
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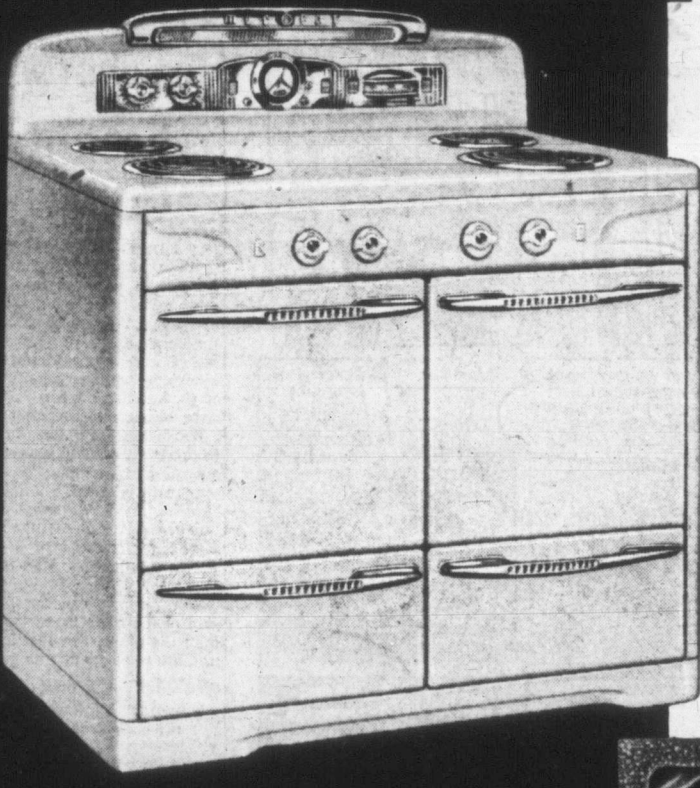
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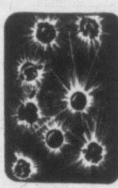
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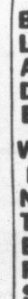
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# PINK PILLS WON'T HELP

## Longevity's Hereditary Says City Man, 102 Today

Pink pills in the medicine cabinet may make some folks feel better, but they won't make them live longer, says old Sam Rainey.

And old Sam should know. He's had 102 years to think about it. His birthday is today.

"No siree," says Sam, pursing his lips behind his fuzzy white whisker, when he scoffs at patent-medicine's claims for longevity.

"Something in the blood decides. It runs in the blood," he says.

Old Sam says his father lived to be 105 and his mother 104. His father's sister, he says, also lived to be 104. He knows this is so because he read it on their tombstones.

Born in County Down, Ireland, December 10, 1850, Mr. Rainey has lived a most interesting life. He fought a 10-year court battle with the Duke of Manchester, after the duke had evicted the Raineys from their Ballymore farm. He got the farm back after the Evicted Tenants' Bill was passed by the British House of Commons.

Later he went to the United States and found work with Barnum and Bailey's famous circus. His job was taking care of Jumbo, the elephant.

A resident of Victoria since

1912, he has lived the last 12 months at Selkirk Lodge on Fox Street, where he is cared for by his landlady, Mrs. Emma Edwards.

"Old Sam is a wonderful old man," says Mrs. Edwards. "I wish I had the place full of them good as he."

Mrs. Edwards says Sam's favorite foods are porridge and so-bolled eggs. He eats no meat.

## Family Escapes When Plane Prop Falls on House

BAKERSFIELD, Calif., Dec. (AP)—A family of five escaped unharmed Monday night when B-29 bomber propeller crashed down on their home in a Bakersfield residential section.

The blade, falling from the high-flying plane, sheared off the corner of the home, slashed through a bedroom and partially buried itself in the ground.

Mr. and Mrs. George Cowle and their three children were dinner in an adjoining room.

Cowle described the noise "thunderous."

The air force refused to give any details of the accident, what it termed security reasons.



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By PHIL LEE

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CC (Not out in time)

(A) "OUTCASTS OF THE ISLANDS" (Royal): In the story of the decadence of a white man among the natives on a lonely island trading post off Singapore, producer-director Carol Reed has fashioned a grim, realistic show

that is both powerful and compelling.

Skilfully drawing upon the remarkable talents of a picked handful of British actors including Ralph Richardson, Trevor Howard and Robert Morley, and introducing the girl Kerima, Reed uses the camera, heat, intolerable tension and hordes of natives to tell of the complete downfall of a white man, who after being saved from humiliation and probably a jail term for theft, turns traitor against the sea captain who adopted him, giving away the secret to the fabulous trading post. In the end the white man, lured by the beautiful Kerima, forsakes his own people only to fade away in the jungles of despair, a renegade even to the blacks.

In this day of the "talkies" where wordy dialogue often covers up lack of acting ability and shortcomings in direction, Kerima without a single word to speak was the shining example of the art. As a matter of fact, the Joseph Conrad story was all that could be desired if you are in the mood for such a tale.

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## Glee Club Songs Truly Memorable

Mrs. Mary Wood's Inspiration Caught By Sensitive Choir She Directs

By AUDREY ST. D. JOHNSON

The season of Nativity music is at hand and all the well-loved songs and carols that have sprung from the roots of the Christian faith will be sung and played over and over until Christmas is past in most churches and auditoriums.

One of the first concerts to be devoted to this ageless music was presented Tuesday night by the Y.W.C.A. Glee Club, directed by Mary Wood, with Malcolm Hamilton at the piano. The concert took place in Fairfield United Church before a capacity audience.

For the writer this was the first of the Christmas concerts, and whatever may follow it must remain a truly memorable and moving experience. Mrs. Wood had been diligent in searching out some beautiful and not-too-often-performed songs, but that was only the beginning.

Her glee club brought great purity of tone and simple sincerity to the singing of them; frequently touched heights of sublime beauty. Inspiration is a contagious quality of the mind; the leader conveyed it clearly to

her singers and they, in turn, to their audience.

Since last heard in the spring, the technical prowess of this choir has advanced astonishingly. Tone is firmer, clearer and of a delightful timbre at all points in the dynamic range. They are both more sensitive and more confident.

Mrs. Wood woos from them a silky-smooth vocal line and establishes an elastic, vital rhythm that keeps the slowest tempos from dragging.

Deeply touching to the spirit and the emotions was the ensemble's singing of Niles' "Carol of the Angels." In the solo part, the clear, lovely voice of Dorothy Mae Charles was heard. Among the finest of the full chorus numbers was the carol, "What Child Is This?" Brahms' "Little Sandman," Michael Head's "Little Road to Bethlehem," and the stirring Bach, "My Heart Ever Faithful."

Soloists, whose work was much enjoyed, were Beverly Husband, Marjorie Norbury and Marlene Vance. Malcolm Hamilton, the club's efficient accompanist, played two piano solo groups, his authoritative style and keen musicianship being especially revealed in his fine rendering of two Bach chorales.

### AGELESS STORY TOLD AGAIN

## St. Barnabas' Nativity Shows Faith's Source

By AUDREY ST. D. JOHNSON

The new St. Barnabas' Church, at the corner of Belmont and Begbie Streets, is setting this week for a special form of Christmas service that has been, for several years, a tradition of the St. Barnabas' Players.

Despite the fact that the players, as a group, no longer exist, the presentation of "The Nativity" Tuesday night was as beautiful and stirring as it has ever been.

Breathing a spell of antiquity and profound reverence, it presents a colorful pageantry, bringing vividly to mind the truth, wonder and humility of the Christmas spirit.

Stepping through the doors of the church, one leaves behind the artificial and meretricious joys of our modern Christmas season, bestirred the centuries and half a world, to contemplate for a brief hour the reality: the precious source of faith.

In this form of the Nativity, Mother Church, instructing Young Christian, shows him the incidents leading to and subsequent to the birth of Christ. We share with him the scenes of the Annunciation, Mary and Joseph in the stable, the approach of the

shepherds and the Magi, their worship of the Infant King, and Mary and Joseph with the Christ Child in the temple.

The entire presentation is an artistic achievement, in its suggestion of medieval frescoes, while the singing of hidden choristers complements the visual appeal with a silvery aura of sound.

The Nativity will be performed at St. Barnabas' Church tonight and tomorrow, commencing at 8.

### Young Mother Charged With Teaching Theft

NEWMARKET, Ont., Dec. 10 (CP).—A 29-year-old mother of five children and foster mother of two today was charged with coaching three of her little girls to be housebreakers, receiving stolen goods and breaking and entering.

Police said Mrs. Alice Howse, of nearby Keswick, on Lake Simcoe, told them more than two carloads of loot were taken from cottages and a store. She said her truck-driver husband knew nothing of the activities.

The loot, including alarm clocks, electric fans and radios, was valued at about \$500.

The oldest girls, her foster children, aged 13 and 11, will appear in juvenile court. The other girl, aged 8, is too young for the court.

### Singers, Dancers At Christmas Party Of Carnegie Club

A musical program of singing and dancing was provided for children who attended the Dale Carnegie Club International's annual Christmas party, Monday at Hampton Hall.

Piano solos were given by Paul Martinson, and a ballet solo was performed by Miss Valerie Parker. Conveners of the affair were Mrs. Kaye Miller, John McLeilan and Miss Ivy Humberstone. Thomas Barton acted as master of ceremonies.

### Play a Week For York Theatre In 1953 Season

Starting in the New Year, the York Theatre Company will operate on a play-a-week basis.

Announcement of this was made today by directors of the professional group. Until now, plays have been presented for periods ranging from nine days to two weeks.

The new schedule is being instituted for the benefit of regular patrons, who like to attend the theatre on a certain day every week.

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**ALTON & FLEMING**

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**NEWS**

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\$2,600 Down — \$2,600 Down. We have just procured the listing on this new N.H.A. home in a really good district with a superb view. Full high basement, full bathroom, full kitchen, built-in dining room, two bedrooms, full sunroom. Piped furnace in full high concrete basement. Low down payment. N.H.A. plan. Close to school, bus, and shopping. Principal and interest. Price \$8,500. Mr. Drew, B-1046.

**INVESTMENT AND HOME**

FAIRFIELD—\$10,500. ONLY \$4,000 DOWN. Eleven lovely rooms in this attractive home and a revenue of \$115 per month. Full high basement, full bathroom, full kitchen, built-in dining room, two bedrooms, full sunroom. Piped furnace in full high concrete basement. Low down payment. N.H.A. plan. Close to school, bus, and shopping. Principal and interest. Price \$8,500. Mr. Drew, B-1046.

**GARDEN-LOVER'S DELIGHT**

SECLUSION—\$6,950. Located High Quadra area, close to school, bus, and shopping. Full high basement, full bathroom, full kitchen, built-in dining room, two bedrooms, full sunroom. Piped furnace in full high concrete basement. Low down payment. N.H.A. plan. Close to school, bus, and shopping. Principal and interest. Price \$8,500. Mr. Drew, B-1046.

**HOUSES FOR SALE**

**TOWN & COUNTRY HOMES LIMITED**

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**LIVING BUNGALOW**

Living room with special fireplace, dining room, full bathroom, full kitchen, built-in dining room, two bedrooms, full sunroom. Piped furnace in full high concrete basement. Low down payment. N.H.A. plan. Close to school, bus, and shopping. Principal and interest. Price \$8,500. Mr. Drew, B-1046.

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INVESTOR'S OPPORTUNITY. This property would be excellent for conversion to suite, at it has hot-water heating throughout the entire building. Full high basement, full bathroom, full kitchen, built-in dining room, two bedrooms, full sunroom. Piped furnace in full high concrete basement. Low down payment. N.H.A. plan. Close to school, bus, and shopping. Principal and interest. Price \$8,500. Mr. Drew, B-1046.

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**OAK BAY**

\$3,000 DOWN \$3,000. THREE BEDROOMS. BRAND NEW. Here is a beautiful home, 1,200 square feet, value around \$15,000. Full high basement, full bathroom, full kitchen, built-in dining room, two bedrooms, full sunroom. Piped furnace in full high concrete basement. Low down payment. N.H.A. plan. Close to school, bus, and shopping. Principal and interest. Price \$8,500. Mr. Drew, B-1046.

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**HILLSIDE AVENUE**

BUY OF THE WEEK. Good five-room bungalow, full bathroom, full kitchen, built-in dining room, two bedrooms, full sunroom. Piped furnace in full high concrete basement. Low down payment. N.H.A. plan. Close to school, bus, and shopping. Principal and interest. Price \$8,500. Mr. Drew, B-1046.

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\$750—TERMS. Three-bedroom house in Oak Bay. Full high basement, full bathroom, full kitchen, built-in dining room, two bedrooms, full sunroom. Piped furnace in full high concrete basement. Low down payment. N.H.A. plan. Close to school, bus, and shopping. Principal and interest. Price \$8,500. Mr. Drew, B-1046.

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OUR FIRST YEAR. HIGH QUADRA. SECLUSION AND COMFORT. A cozy five-room cottage nestled among the trees with seclusion yet only one short block from the school. Full high basement, full bathroom, full kitchen, built-in dining room, two bedrooms, full sunroom. Piped furnace in full high concrete basement. Low down payment. N.H.A. plan. Close to school, bus, and shopping. Principal and interest. Price \$8,500. Mr. Drew, B-1046.

**OAK BAY**

FIVE-ROOM BUNGALOW. NORTH OF THE AVENUE. Situated close to the beach and shopping centre, this bungalow has two years ago in immaculate condition throughout. Full high basement, full bathroom, full kitchen, built-in dining room, two bedrooms, full sunroom. Piped furnace in full high concrete basement. Low down payment. N.H.A. plan. Close to school, bus, and shopping. Principal and interest. Price \$8,500. Mr. Drew, B-1046.

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SIX ROOMS—LIBERAL TERMS. OIL HOT-WATER HEAT—INSULATED. Situated on a very fine piece of property, this bungalow has two years ago in immaculate condition throughout. Full high basement, full bathroom, full kitchen, built-in dining room, two bedrooms, full sunroom. Piped furnace in full high concrete basement. Low down payment. N.H.A. plan. Close to school, bus, and shopping. Principal and interest. Price \$8,500. Mr. Drew, B-1046.

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DO YOU WANT QUICK AND COURTEOUS SERVICE? Pick up your phone and dial 100. Full high basement, full bathroom, full kitchen, built-in dining room, two bedrooms, full sunroom. Piped furnace in full high concrete basement. Low down payment. N.H.A. plan. Close to school, bus, and shopping. Principal and interest. Price \$8,500. Mr. Drew, B-1046.

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LISTINGS of small and large bungalows in all districts. We have immediate call for low price. Full high basement, full bathroom, full kitchen, built-in dining room, two bedrooms, full sunroom. Piped furnace in full high concrete basement. Low down payment. N.H.A. plan. Close to school, bus, and shopping. Principal and interest. Price \$8,500. Mr. Drew, B-1046.

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\$750 DOWN AND \$5 PER MONTH BUYS this five-room home which is walking distance to school, bus, and shopping. Full high basement, full bathroom, full kitchen, built-in dining room, two bedrooms, full sunroom. Piped furnace in full high concrete basement. Low down payment. N.H.A. plan. Close to school, bus, and shopping. Principal and interest. Price \$8,500. Mr. Drew, B-1046.

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620 PORT STREET. Phone Garden 9235. Full high basement, full bathroom, full kitchen, built-in dining room, two bedrooms, full sunroom. Piped furnace in full high concrete basement. Low down payment. N.H.A. plan. Close to school, bus, and shopping. Principal and interest. Price \$8,500. Mr. Drew, B-1046.

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LARGE OR SMALL STANDS OF TIMBER, standing or felled and bucked, yarded or decked. Also logs or short logs. Full high basement, full bathroom, full kitchen, built-in dining room, two bedrooms, full sunroom. Piped furnace in full high concrete basement. Low down payment. N.H.A. plan. Close to school, bus, and shopping. Principal and interest. Price \$8,500. Mr. Drew, B-1046.

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**PEMBERTON, HOLMES LTD.**

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Four Self-Contained Suites. This property consists of three three-room suites and one five-room suite all self-contained and self-heating. Full high basement, full bathroom, full kitchen, built-in dining room, two bedrooms, full sunroom. Piped furnace in full high concrete basement. Low down payment. N.H.A. plan. Close to school, bus, and shopping. Principal and interest. Price \$8,500. Mr. Drew, B-1046.

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**HOUSES FOR SALE**

**MODERN GROCERIA**

**CASH TURNOVER \$70,000**

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**NEWSTEAD REALTY LTD.**

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**51 PERSONAL LOANS**

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FUNDS ON HAND AND IMMEDIATELY AVAILABLE FOR MORTGAGE LOANS. Large and small amounts—no interest—quick decisions. Full high basement, full bathroom, full kitchen, built-in dining room, two bedrooms, full sunroom. Piped furnace in full high concrete basement. Low down payment. N.H.A. plan. Close to school, bus, and shopping. Principal and interest. Price \$8,500. Mr. Drew, B-1046.

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**53 WANTED TO BORROW**



### HOUSES FOR SALE

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CASH BUYER FOR OAK BAY FIVE-room bungalow. Older-type with section preferred. Up to \$8,500. Another cash buyer for cottage type on Willow Beach. Call Mr. Bagshawe G 5115. The B.C. Land & Estate Co. Ltd., 1119 Blanshard St., Victoria, B.C.

ALL CASH IF YOU CAN GIVE POSSESSION in 30 days. Call West Dicks, evenings E 3440, days B 4112. Dicks & Co. Realty, 833 Port Street.

URGENTLY REQUIRED, SIDE-BY-SIDE duplex, have client waiting. Phone L. B. Gault of Town & Country Homes Ltd., evenings E 8928, or B 7276 any time.

WANTED—OAK BAY, URGENTLY—FIVE-room bungalow, nice district, three bedrooms, full bath, central heating, call G 7575, Pemberton, Holmes Ltd., G 8124.

LET ME HANDLE THE SALE OF YOUR home. No fuss or bother. Alex Fleming G 5112 residence E 4762.

CAN YOU SELL WITH ALISON CARR? Civil servant desperate for two-bedroom home. Write Box 285, Victoria Press.

### PROPERTY FOR SALE

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FARM FOR RENT, GOOD FIVE-ROOM house with full basement and automatic heating. 8 1/2 acres. Small orchard, 1 1/2 acres of strawberries. One acre of raspberries. Irrigation equipment included. Balance in hay and fallow. Small chicken house and two-car garage with two extra rooms. Good water. Long lease available. F. N. Campbell Ltd., E 7174.

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### NOTICE TO CREDITORS

GEORGE NEAL, Deceased. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that all persons having claims against the estate of George Neal, late of Colwood, in the Province of British Columbia, deceased, are required to send their claims, properly certified to the undersigned on or before the 10th day of January, 1953, after which date the Executor will distribute the estate among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they then have notice.

Dated, December 1st, 1952.

STRAITH RUTMAN & DAVIDSON, (Solicitors for the Executor), 306 Bank of Toronto Building, Victoria, B.C.

### CITY OF VICTORIA REFERENDUM

ON REDUCTION OF STAFF OF FIRE DEPARTMENT

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given to the electors of the Municipality of Victoria that the Municipal Council has resolved that the opinion of the said electors be taken by ballot at the time of the holding of the annual municipal election on the following question, namely:

"ARE YOU IN FAVOR OF THE REDUCTION ALREADY MADE TO THE STAFF OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT IN ORDER TO MEET THE CITY'S FINANCIAL CONDITION?"

AND THAT I accordingly desire the said electors to be present at the building known as the "Victoria Public Market Building," Corner Market Street, in the City of Victoria, at the time of the holding of the said election, namely, between the hours of NINE o'clock A.M. and SEVEN o'clock P.M. on THURSDAY, the ELEVENTH day of DECEMBER, 1952, for the purpose of voting by ballot on the said question.

GIVEN under my hand at Victoria, British Columbia, this 3rd day of December, 1952.

M. F. HUNTER, Returning Officer.

NOTICE OF ORDER  
Estate of Alfred Martin Green, Deceased.  
Administration of the Estate of Alfred Martin Green, deceased, who died intestate at the City of Victoria, Province of British Columbia, on the 12th day of September, 1952, was granted on the 8th day of December, 1952, in the Victoria Registry of the Supreme Court of British Columbia, to Rupert Leslie Cox, Official Administrator for the County of Victoria.

Dated at Victoria, B.C. this 10th day of December, 1952.

R. L. COX, Official Administrator,  
515 Central Building, Victoria, B.C.

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## Nobel Winners Receive Awards From King Gustaf

STOCKHOLM, Sweden, Dec. 10 (UP)—Six Nobel prize winners, including three Americans, received their awards today from King Gustaf of Sweden.

The awards were for achievements in physics, chemistry, literature and medicine. The five scientists and a novelist divided \$131,000 dollars.

"They each received a check, a golden plaque and an illuminated scroll recording the achievements for which they won this year's prize. The award in each field is worth almost \$33,000 but the prizes in physics and chem-

istry were split between dual winners.

The recipients are: Professor Selman A. Waksman, Russian-born director of the Rutgers University Institute of Microbiology, New Brunswick, New Jersey. He won the prize for physiology and medicine and for discovering streptomycin.

Dr. Felix Bloch, Swiss-born physics professor at Stanford University, Stanford, California, and Dr. Edward M. Purcell, professor of physics, Harvard University, Cambridge, Massachusetts, they shared a prize for developing new methods for nuclear magnetic precision measurements.

Francois Mauriac, French author and journalist. He gained literary recognition for "the piercing mental knowledge and artistic intensity" displayed in his novels, which emphasize human torments and desires.

Dr. Arthur J. P. Martin, National Institute for Medical Research, London, and Dr. Richard L. M. Synges, of Rowett Research Institute, Buckburn, Aberdeenshire, Scotland. They were recognized for inventing "partition chromatography"—a method for chemical analysis using filter paper.

Experience is in the form of 29-year-old Gaye Stewart, a 10-year veteran of the N.H.L.

Coach Dick Irvin thinks Stewart can inject some life into the Habs' production department, now suffering from an acute attack of inertia.

### Leafs Give Rookie Chance

Toronto Maple Leafs will try out youth, Montreal Canadiens experience, when the National Hockey League rivals meet in Toronto tonight.

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### SMOKER'S COUGH

Do you cough so violently one waking you wonder how your bronchial tubes can stand it? Do you wheeze and cough all day, trying to dislodge tight-packed phlegm? Don't put up with this condition. If you have such an annoying cough, caused by smoking or otherwise, try RAZ-MAH capsules for quick, comforting relief. Templeton's RAZ-MAH quickly loosens phlegm so it comes away easily—then you stop coughing and wheezing. 65c, \$1.35 at drug counters, 4-57.

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At the very first sign of cold symptoms take 1 tablet. Take another every 4 hours up to a maximum of 4 in one day. If Dr. Chase Brand Tablets do not stop your cold symptoms in just 24 hours return the envelope of the small size or the direction sheet from the economy size to The Dr. A. W. Chase Medicine Co. Ltd., Oakville, Ont. Back comes \$1.00 to you. Keep your family free of cold infections all winter with Dr. Chase Brand Tablets.

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### SAANICH ELECTORS

Arrangements have been made for a public meeting to be held at the auditorium in Mt. View High School, Carey Road, on Thursday, December 11th, 1952, at 8 p.m.

The Reeve will report to the ratepayers on the 1952 Council business accomplished and candidates for election will address the meeting.

J. B. TRIBE, Municipal Clerk.

## SOCCER GAMES START EARLIER

To counteract early darkness, all future games in the Victoria and District Football Association will start one-half hour earlier, it was announced this morning by association officials. Games will start at 2:15 instead of 2:45.

In league games this weekend, Victoria West meets Esquimalt on a pitch to be named later, while Canadian Scottish play Civil Service Sunday at Heywood Avenue.

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Arrangements have been made for a public meeting to be held at the auditorium in Mt. View High School, Carey Road, on Thursday, December 11th, 1952, at 8 p.m.

The Reeve will report to the ratepayers on the 1952 Council business accomplished and candidates for election will address the meeting.

J. B. TRIBE, Municipal Clerk.

## Segregation in Schools Before U.S. High Court

WASHINGTON, Dec. 10 (UP)—The Supreme Court takes up one of the most explosive issues in American life today at an historic hearing on the constitutionality of racial segregation in public schools.

Two famed attorneys, one Negro and one white, are pitted against each other in the courtroom drama which climaxes a 30-year legal fight by Negro groups.

Before the high tribunal are five separate cases, all raising the same question: Does the mere fact of segregation put the stamp of inequality on Negro students, even if they are provided school facilities as good as those provided for white children?

The oral arguments will run into Wednesday and perhaps Thursday. On the court's decision—which may not come for several weeks—depends the continuance of the South's time-honored doctrine of "separate but equal" educational systems for the two races.

The intensity of the feeling which the court test has aroused in the South was indicated last month when South Carolina voters repealed the section of the state constitution requiring the maintenance of free public schools. Governor James F. Byrnes sponsored the repeal, asserting that the state must be ready to abolish its public school system if the Supreme Court should require non-segregation.

The first of the five cases to be argued arose in Kansas. That state does not require segregation but permits it in cities of more than 15,000 population.

Other cases come from South Carolina, Virginia, the District of Columbia and Delaware.

Key Negro lawyer is Thurgood Marshall, 44, New York, representing the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People. Marshall has won outstanding Supreme Court victories for Negroes in such fields as housing, transportation and political rights, as well as education.

Elderly, white-haired John W. Davis, New York, one-time Democratic candidate for president, represents South Carolina. Davis, a renowned constitutional lawyer, won one of the most far-reaching decisions of modern times last June when the court struck down President Truman's seizure of the steel industry.

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## Leads A.H.L.

NEW YORK, Dec. 10 (AP)—Ike Hildebrand, little right winger for Cleveland's high-flying Barons, tops the American Hockey League in scoring and goal-getting today.

Hildebrand has amassed 28 points comprised of 16 goals and 12 assists. Marcel Bonin and Guyle Fielder of St. Louis Flyers, last week's co-leaders, and George Sullivan of Hershey, are tied for second place at 27 points each. Sullivan also is the league's top playmaker with 22 assists.

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## THE CAINE MUTINY

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Steve Maryk's spirit faltered him in the very first moments of the court martial, when the members of the court were sworn. Seven officers stood on a dais in a semi-circle behind a polished red-brown bench, their right arms raised, staring with religious gravity at Challee as he intoned the oath from a battered copy of Courts and Boards.

His eyes were drawn to the face of the president of the court, Captain Blakely, who stood at the center of the bench, squarely in front of the flag. It was an alarming face, a sharp nose, a mouth like a black line, and small far-seeing eyes under heavy eyebrows, with a defiant, distrustful glare. Maryk knew his reputation: a submariner up from the ranks, beached by a heart condition, the toughest disciplinarian of Com Twelve.

Maryk was shaking when he sat down after the oath, and it was the face of Blakely that made him shake. One regular lieutenant-commander and five lieutenants made up the rest of the board. For his first witness, Challee called Lieutenant-Commander Philip Francis Queeg.

Everyone in the room watched the door. The ex-captain of the Caine entered, tanned, clear-eyed, in a new blue uniform, the sleeve stripes bright gold. The change was startling. Maryk's last vivid recollection was of a little stooped portly figure in a gray life jacket and wet khakis, clinging to the engine telegraph, the bristly face green and twisted with fear. The man before him was erect, confident and good-looking — and youthful, despite the few blond strands over a pink scalp. Maryk's nerves were joined.

Challee went quickly to the morning of the typhoon, and he asked the ex-captain to narrate the events in his own words. The reply of Queeg was a coherent, rapid sketch, in formal language, of the mutiny.

The court members followed the account with sympathetic interest. Once Captain Blakely transferred a long ominous stare to the defendant. Before Queeg was finished Maryk had totally despaired. He looked to his counsel with frightened eyes. Greenwald doodled with a red crayon on a pad, drawing multitudes of little fat pink pigs. "Commander," said Challee, "can you account in any way for your executive officer's act?"

"Well," said Queeg calmly, "it was a rather serious situation. Mr. Maryk had shown evidence of growing nervousness and instability all morning. I think when we took that last bad roll he simply went into panic and proceeded to act irrationally. He acted under the delusion that he and he alone could save the ship. His worst weakness was conceit about his seamanship."

"Was the Caine in grave danger at that moment?" "I wouldn't say so, no sir. Of course a typhoon is an extreme hazard at all times, but the ship had ridden well up to that moment and continued to ride well afterward."

"Have you ever been mentally ill, sir?"

"No, sir."

"Were you ill in any way when Mr. Maryk relieved you?"

"I was not."

"Did you protest the relief?"

"As forcefully as I could."

"Did you attempt to resume command?"

"Repeatedly."

"Did you warn your executive officer of the consequences of his act?"

"I told him he was performing a mutinous act."

"What was his reply?"

"That he expected to be court-martialed, but was going to retain command anyway."

"What was the attitude of Lieut. Junior Grade Keith, the officer of the deck?"

"He was in a state of panic as bad as Maryk's or worse. He consistently backed up Maryk."

"What was the attitude of the rest of the officers?"

"They were perplexed and submissive. Under the circumstances I don't suppose they had any alternative."

"What was the attitude of the helmsman?"

"Stillwell I considered the worst troublemaker on the ship. He was emotionally unbalanced, and for some reason was very devoted to Lieut. Junior Grade Keith. He gladly participated in defying my orders."

"Where is Stillwell at present?"

"I understand he is in the

psychiatric ward of the hospital here, with a diagnosis of acute melancholia."

Challee glanced at the court. There was an exchange of looks among the court, Challee, and Greenwald. The defense counsel rose for cross-examination. "Commander Queeg," he said respectfully, looking down at the crayon in his hand, "I should like to ask you whether you have ever heard the expression, 'Old Yellowstain'?"

"In what connection?" Queeg looked genuinely puzzled.

"In any connection."

"Old Yellowstone."

"Old Yellowstain, sir."

"I have not."

"You aren't aware, then, that all the officers of the Caine habitually referred to you as Old Yellowstain?"

The judge advocate jumped to his feet. "I object to the question! It is impertinent badgering of the witness."

Blakely said frostily, "How does defense counsel justify this line of questioning?"

"If the court please, it is the assigned duty of defense counsel to disprove the words in the specification—I quote—without authority, and without justifiable cause. It will be the contention of the defense that the authority of Lieutenant Maryk was Articles 184, 185 and 186 of the Navy Regulations, and that his justifiable cause was the conduct, demeanor, and decisions of Commander Queeg during his command of the Caine. The sobriquet 'Old Yellowstain' used by the officers of the Caine, and the facts out of which sobriquet arose, will be extremely relevant. I quote Article 185: the conclusion to relieve his commanding officer must be one which a reasonable, prudent and experienced officer would regard as necessary from the facts thus determined to exist."

"Before ruling, the court wishes to caution defense counsel," Blakely said, staring very hard at Greenwald. "The court recognizes that the defense is compelled to try to challenge the competence of the officer. Nevertheless, all requirements of legal ethics and military respect and subordination remain in force. The defense counsel will have to bear full responsibility for the conduct of his case, including indiscretions and abuses of his cross-examination privileges. Subject to the foregoing comment, the judge advocate's objection is overruled. Court stenographer will repeat the question."

(To Be Continued)

### Aussie Cricketers Edge South Africa

BRISBANE, Dec. 10 (AP).—Australia beat South Africa by 96 runs today in the first test cricket match between the two Commonwealth countries. Australia scored 280 and 277 in two innings while South Africa made 221 and 240.

Jack McGlew with 69 was the top scorer in South Africa's second innings. Australia's Ray Lindwall took five wickets in 69 overs.

### Pruden Meets Davey Tonight

CLEVELAND, Dec. 10 (AP).—Chuck Davey, one of the slickest fighters ever to come off a college campus, puts his fistic power on display again tonight in a nationally televised bout with Canadian veteran Fritzie Pruden.

Although Davey is a top-heavy favorite, a sellout crowd of 13,000 is forecast for the contest heading a card of five 10-rounders on the Cleveland News toyshop fund show.

### Vejprava Holds Junior Ice Lead

LETHBRIDGE, Alta., Dec. 10 (CP).—Centre Vejprava of Crow's Nest Coalers is setting a hot pace for individual scorers in the Western Junior Hockey League.

Statistics released Tuesday night show Vejprava leads in both goals, with 22, and assists, 17. His 39 points give him a six-point bulge over Pete McMahon of Calgary.

	G.	A.	Pts.
Vejprava, Crow's Nest	22	17	39
McMahon, Calgary	15	12	27
Duke, Calgary	17	15	32
Arman, Lethbridge	12	12	24
Trentini, Crow's Nest	18	9	27
Melnyk, Edmonton	12	15	27
Brisson, Calgary	11	12	23
Cowan, Regina	17	9	26
Dea, Lethbridge	16	10	26

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## B.C. NARCOTIC HOTBED

### Quarter of Canada's Addicts Here Claim

OTTAWA, Dec. 10 (CP).—A British Columbia senator, estimating that more than one-quarter of the 4,800 known narcotic addicts in Canada live in his province, says the federal government should pay more attention to the seriousness of the problem.

Senator Thomas Reid, of New Westminster, a Liberal, suggested Tuesday during the Throne speech debate in the Senate that the government cooperate with British Columbia in establishing a pilot treatment centre for addicts.

The government also should seriously consider recommendations of a volunteer committee set up by the Vancouver Community Chest to study the problem.

Senator Reid said he favors a special treatment centre, one method suggested by the committee. A pilot centre might be established in the British Columbia Interior with the federal and provincial governments co-operating.

Senator Reid said the committee found that the spread of addiction is due to illegal peddling which reaps enormous profits. It cost an addict about \$7,000 a year to obtain supplies. Some, including teen-aged boys and girls, turned to thieving and prostitution for money.

He said the committee reported that after an addict embraces heroin "there is no cure but death." Heroin, as opposed to opium or marijuana, was most popular.

### TENDENCY UPWARDS

The committee reported that there was no evidence to indicate the present methods to deal with illegal narcotic traffic were effective. In fact, addiction appeared to be increasing.

Jail terms were ineffective and the committee suggested that a panel of doctors be established to sell narcotics at a nominal fee of 25 cents or so. That wouldn't solve the problem but it would eliminate illegal traffic. This system had reduced the traffic and crime in Britain.

He said senior R.C.M.P. officials do not favor this method but suggest that addicts be committed to a narcotics hospital for 10 years or more.

### Youths Caught In B.C. Given 20-Year Terms

YAKIMA, Wash., Dec. 10 (AP).—Two youths captured in British Columbia last month after a series of robberies and burglaries in this area were sentenced to maximum 20-year terms Tuesday after they pleaded guilty.

Robert Manuel, 25, entered guilty pleas to two robbery counts and a charge of first-degree assault, involving a shooting affray in a tavern. He was sentenced to concurrent maximum 20-year terms on each of the three counts.

His companion, Sandy Lezard, 18, pleaded guilty to two robbery counts, and innocent on the assault charge. He drew 20-year maximum concurrent terms on the two robbery counts.

### TIME OUT! By Jeff Kestel

"Edgett is pretty sensitive about his height—he's only six foot three, you know!"

### Walker Joins Cards

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 10 (AP).—Dixie Walker is joining St. Louis Cardinals as a coach.

The former Brooklyn Dodger outfielder fills the spot left by the going of Terry Moore, one-time Cardinal great who didn't see eye to eye with manager Eddie Stanky. Moore joined Philadelphia Phillies as a scout.

Cardinal owner Fred Saigh said Tuesday the choice of Walker was Stanky's, but that he concurred fully.

### RACE RESULTS

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First Race—  
Little Nip (Schell) \$4.40 \$2.00 \$2.20  
Tape Buster (Westrop) 6.30 3.80  
George Did (Ford) 2.50  
Time, 1:18 1-4.

Second Race—  
Jerry Kelle (Chojnacki) \$12.50 \$5.00 \$3.00  
Prole Squaw (Westrop) 4.50 3.40  
Liberty Lea (Masse) 14.50  
Time, 1:18 1-4.

Third Race—  
Kildanger (Valenauela) \$10.50 \$5.70 \$4.40  
Bull Brigade (Votus) 2.00 4.90  
Hal Mantle (Westrop) 2.00 4.40  
Time, 1:14.

Fourth Race—  
Kinsbor (Beasley) \$15.50 \$7.80 \$4.80  
Hovars 2nd (Schell) \$12.50 \$5.00 \$3.00  
Fleet Princess (Caffarella) 3.90  
Time, 1:15.

Fifth Race—  
John K. (Ford) \$6.00 \$3.50 \$2.60  
Joannie (Caffarella) 4.90 3.70  
Readily (Rossall) 2.40  
Time, 1:20 4-5.

Sixth Race—  
A-Hollys Girl (Longden) \$4.90 \$3.10 \$2.50  
Oranville (Valenauela) 2.80 4.90  
Black Rascal (Westrop) 2.40  
Time, 1:12 3-5.

Seventh Race—  
Pantano (Caffarella) \$34.50 \$25.60 \$12.00  
Fatchergin (Ford) 5.10 5.70  
Winged Glory (Williams) 3.90  
Time, 1:24 4-5.

Eighth Race—  
Four by Five (Schell) \$24.70 \$14.00 \$8.00  
Mailed Put (March) 8.70 4.90  
On Your Mark (Williams) 7.10  
Time, 1:48 4-5.

### HEAR W. A. SCOTT REVEAL "WHO SOLD CHINA TO COMMUNISM"

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## Dominions Criticized for Korean Contribution

SEA ISLAND, Ga., Dec. 10 (AP).—Senator Richard B. Russell has called on Canada, Australia and New Zealand to contribute more troops to the Korean fighting.

The Georgia Democrat expressed his views at a press conference Tuesday. It was his first major public statement since his unsuccessful bid for the Democratic presidential nomination.

The Korean fighting, he said, is a United Nations war and our representatives should do everything possible to make it truly a United Nations effort.

Britain already was over-extended and could not do much more, he said, but he was mildly critical of the French, declaring they are not even drafting men for Indo-China.

Then he said that Canada, Australia and New Zealand should contribute more men to the Korean front and "I'd even be willing to use Chinese Nationalist troops and if General Chiang Kai-shek could conduct some forays on his own, so much the better."

"On the basis of wealth and population, I don't think Canada is contributing as much as we are," he said. "I think the same is true of Australia and New Zealand."

Canada's 25th Infantry Brigade of some 6,000 men is part of the Commonwealth division in Korea. Canada also has three

destroyers in the area as well as participating in the Pacific airlift and supplying exchange fighter pilots.

In all, Australia has 5,500 men in the three services in Korea, while New Zealand is represented in the Commonwealth division.

The first American Baptist church was founded in 1638 in Providence, R.I., by Roger Williams.

## LOCAL CALLS FROM PAY TELEPHONES 10¢ Effective Tomorrow

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## Spending Outstrips Production Says Minister

Production in British Columbia's basic industries this year is lagging behind 1951 achievements while consumer spending continues at a higher level, Trade and Industry Minister Ralph Chetwynd said Tuesday.

The quantity of fish landed during September was down 82.77 per cent from the amount landed the previous month, and 72.58 per cent down from September, 1951.

Preliminary figures for October show that the landed value of fish was \$1,572,000 compared to \$3,511,000 a year ago. Strikes in the fishing industry are blamed for the reduction. Coal production during October increased 10.8 per cent over the previous month, but is down 13.6 per cent from the tonnage produced in the same month last year.

As a result of the strike settle-

ment, lumber sawn during August more than doubled the amount cut in July. But total production for the year is 11.5 per cent less than last year. Total orders on hand for coals mills (which accounted for 61.1 per cent of production during August) at the end of August, 1952, amounted to only 260,386,000 board feet compared to 837,023,000 in the same period last year.

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Corn	Royal City, Fancy Cream Style, 15-oz. tins	2 for 35c	Pineapple Juice	Dole's, Fancy, 20-oz. tins	2 for 27c
Green Beans	Royal City, Fancy, size 3, 15-oz. tin	21c	Plums	Calrose, Choice, Prune, 15-oz. tins	2 for 25c

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Conservatively styled moccasin slippers for men. Shearling collar and insole for warmth and comfort. Soft split leather soles and uppers, padded heel. Natural, tan or chocolate brown. Sizes 6 to 11. 77 Day, pair

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#### Women's Sweaters

All-wool coat sweaters in green, wine, grey, navy or blue. Long sleeves, button-in-neck style. A most welcome gift item... and at great savings to you! Sizes 12 to 20. 77 Day, each

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Factory rejects of full fashioned nylons with neat, flattering seams and lovely fall shades. Sizes 9 to 11. Buy several pair for Christmas gifts! 77 Day, pair

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#### Panties

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#### Men's Broadcloth Shorts

Cotton broadcloth shorts in popular boxer style. Neat striped patterns to choose from in shades of blue, grey or tan. Small, medium and large sizes. 77 Day, pair

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#### Work Shirts

Men's cotton work shirts in khaki drill, tan or light blue cotton. Collar attached style with two breast pockets. Sizes 15 to 17 in the group. 77 Day, each

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#### Gloves

Men's dress gloves in smooth or pig-text leathers. Slip-on or fastener styles. Warmly fleece lined. Sizes 8 1/2 to 10 1/2. 77 Day, pair

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Wool and cotton socks with reinforced heels and toes. Half or ankle length styles with elastic or rib tops. A choice of several fancy patterns and colours. Sizes 10 1/2 to 12. 77 Day, pair

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| 4. Whisley's Toilet Soap, box 1.00  | 11. Dralle's Soaps, assorted fragrances, cake 39c                 |
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| 16. Kiddie Illustrated Soap, with jigsaw puzzle 1.39 | 20. Disney Characters, familiar comic characters in soap! 79c and 83c |
| 17. Four-Bear Card Game, children's gift item 1.00   | 21. Frosty the Snowman, grand for children's stocking filler! 69c     |

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Holiday blouses in dainty nylons and crisp cottons... sure-fire gift idea for pretty little girls on your Christmas list! In white or pastels.

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### Gift Certificates

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### Visit the Gift Centre

Plan to stroll around this laden centre on the Lower Main Floor of the Main Building... you'll get gift ideas aplenty! There are popular-priced items from departments throughout the store... collected into our colourful "Gift Centre" for quick, convenient and easy-on-your-pocketbook gift shopping. EATON'S—Gift Centre, Lower Main Floor

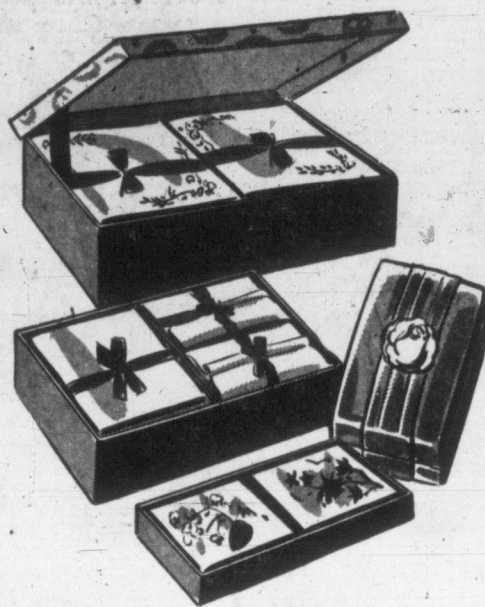
### Penny Bank Shop

A little shop devoted to gifts little folk can buy! With knee-high counters so children can see and choose and buy without standing on tip-toe! Gifts for Mom, Dad, Brother, Sister and Grandma... at prices for tiny budgets. This year you'll find it on the Third Floor in the Young Canada Centre.



### Look for the Service Badge

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#### Wrapping Papers

Christmas themes, stripes, modern designs... wrapping paper designed to make your gifts more enticing. So gay and artistic you'll find it fun to wrap your own! Pkt. 10c to 1.00

#### Christmas Ribbons

Colours to blend with your choice of wrapping paper. 10c to 25c

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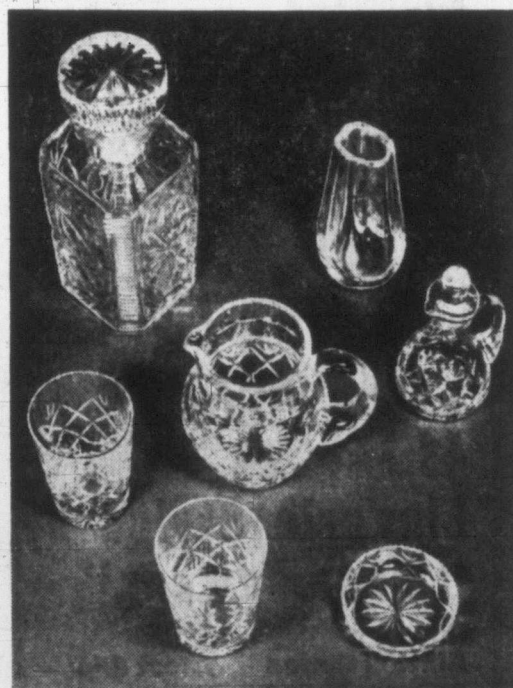
In designs that match the wrapping papers... also tags and seals in brilliant colours. 5c to 35c

EATON'S—Little Red Basket Shop, Lower Main Floor

## SUCH

—a wide selection of lovely gifts in our China Department

Puzzled? Perturbed? Just can't decide what to give? Pay a visit to our China Department, main floor in the House Furnishings Building, and look over the magnificent selection of gift suggestions. You'll find something for the most particular people there—something so attractive that you'll probably want one for yourself as well!



### Rich Cut Crystal

A gift of good taste that you'll be proud to place under the tree — crystal from noted British and European makers. Make your choice from the great numbers of pieces on display, such as:

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| Jugs, each                    | 6.75, 8.50 and 9.50        |
| Vases in many sizes, each     | 1.95, 5.95, 8.50 and 12.50 |
| Marmalade Jars, each          | 1.85 and 1.95              |
| Fruit Bowls, each             | 4.95, 9.50 and 11.50       |
| Salt and Pepper Shakers, pair | 79c and 1.19               |
| Fruit Nappies, each           | 95c to 2.50                |
| Fruit or Flower Baskets, each | 12.50                      |
| Sweet or Nut Dishes, each     | 95c to 2.50                |
| Candlesticks, each            | 4.75                       |
| Ash Trays,                    | 95c                        |

### Cups and Saucers Of English Bone China

What better than a fine bone china cup and saucer for that little "extra" gift? You'll choose from hundreds of different patterns at EATON'S—every one a little masterpiece, every one a gift to be treasured for many a year. Gracefully shaped, daintily decorated cups by such makers as Royal Paragon, Susie Cooper, Royal Grafton, Aynsley, Royal Albert and many others.

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12 o'clock for Glamour!

## New Festive Nylons Colour for The Party Season! Pair **1<sup>50</sup>**

Cobwebby sheer Christmas stockings to put under her tree... to have for your very own Yuletide fashions. 51-gauge, 15-denier nylons in "12 o'clock," a soft taupe shade to blend with night-time colours. Sizes 8½ to 11.



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EATON'S—Hosiery, Main Floor

## Gifts for Him — He'll Be Proud to Wear A GLENEATON Dressing Gown

Tailored for smartness with neat padded shoulders, yet the generous cut and ample length provides plenty of comfort... popular at home or traveling! Choice of all-wool English flannels in wine or blue with white cord trim. Small, medium, large and extra large in the group.

EATON Price, each **19<sup>50</sup>**

Buy On Revolving Credit... No Down Payment

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### GLENEATON Broadcloth Shirts

Fine English cotton broadcloths in snowy whites and various stripes and plain shades. All "Rigmel" shrunk to retain their good fit, collars are "Trubenzed" to resist crushing and wrinkling. Choice of regular fused collar attached styles with single button cuffs. Sizes 14 to 17½ in the group. EATON'S Price, each

**6<sup>50</sup>**

## TIES A Gift-Inspired Collection to Choose From at **1<sup>00</sup>**

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### GLENEATON Hats

EATON Price, Each **7<sup>50</sup>**

A wide choice that includes snap brims and off-the-face styles in various brim widths... a big selection reflecting this season's style trends! All are made from fine quality fur felts with cushion leather sweatbands. Colours of walnut-brown (dark), claret-brown (medium), birch-tan, blue-jay (blue-grey), pearl-grey and alamo (taupe). Sizes 6¾ to 7¾ in the group.

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EATON'S—THE STORE FOR YOUNG CANADA—EATON'S

Calling All "Space Rangers" Here's Your Uniform!

How to thrill a young space-pioneer at Christmas... just put one of these official "Rocket Ranger" suits under his tree and you'll be his Favourite Santa! Of rugged cotton gabardine in two-tone effect of grey and blue.

"Rocket Ranger" Jacket

With "Rocket Ranger" wings on one sleeve! Has snug-fitting waistband and dome fastener cuffs. Sizes 6 to 12. Each **4<sup>75</sup>**

"Rocket Ranger" Shirt

Also with "Rocket Ranger" wings on one sleeve! Button cuffs, tailored collar. Sizes 6 to 12. Each **3<sup>95</sup>**

"Rocket Ranger" Pants

"Rocket Ranger" wings on pocket... adjustable loops for your "Click Ray Gun." has a secret pocket for keys and money! Pair **3<sup>95</sup>**

"Rocket Ranger" jeans

pair **4<sup>50</sup>**

"Rocket Ranger" Doe-skin shirt

Each **2<sup>50</sup>**

EATON'S—Boys' Wear, Third Floor

EATON'S—THE STORE FOR YOUNG CANADA—EATON'S

Lingerie Styled by "Munsingwear"

Rayon Knitted Gowns

Fashioned on flowing Grecian lines with a deep V neckline, full skirt falls from a gathered waistband. As comfortable to wear as it is lovely to look at... choose from two-tone effects of purple and orchid or bisque and coral. Sizes small, medium and large. Each **4<sup>95</sup>**

Nylon Tricot Slip

Always a welcome gift... an easy-on-keep nylon slip prettily styled with a deep nylon net frill at hem and bodice... finished with dainty smocked trim. White only, in sizes 32 to 40. Each **7<sup>95</sup>**

Dainty Rayon Nightie

Another sleek rayon knitted gown... this time styled with square neckline, small puffed sleeves, full skirt falling from a gathered waist. Choose from aqua or pink in small, medium or large. Each **3<sup>50</sup>**

EATON'S—Lingerie, Second Floor

## GLENEATON All-Wool 2-Trouser Suits

Woolens selected from several Canadian and British makers for a good range of fancy weaves, neat stripes, diagonals and gabardines... styles in single and double-breasted lounge and conservative models... the workmanship befitting the fine materials. Slip on a Gleneaton suit and see how it can enhance your appearance, whether you are a short, regular or tall, 35 to 46. EATON Price, 2-pant suit **79<sup>50</sup>**

### GLENEATON Gabardine Topcoats

Handsomely tailored from long-wearing wool gabardines imported from England, in a comfortable weight for winter! Single-breasted models for men. Deep rich shades of blue, grey or sand. Sizes 36 to 46 for tall, regulars and shorts in the group. EATON Price, each **57<sup>50</sup>**

Also Eaton coats, 45.00.



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## Officials See Light Civic Vote

Polls Open  
9-7 Thursday

Less than half the 20,143 eligible voters in the city of Victoria are expected to cast ballots in Thursday's civic election, according to Frank Hunter, city clerk and returning officer.

"If we get a 40 per cent turnout we will be doing well," Mr. Hunter said, basing his opinion on voting records in non-mayoral years over the past quarter of a century.

There was a 38 per cent vote in December, 1950, the last non-mayoral election.

"Probably about 9,000 may cast ballots," Mr. Hunter said.

Polling divisions in the central polling station at the Public Market will be open from 9 in the morning to 7 at night.

### SIX BALLOTS

Mr. Hunter urged that each elector be careful to vote on all of the six ballots he will receive in his set.

This aids both in economy and efficiency as marked ballots are counted "readily and quickly" where as unmarked ballots "must receive possibly four times as much attention," according to the returning officer.

### TWO BY-LAWS

Property owners will get a set of six ballots stapled together.

Top ballot, cream in color, will be for the Pemberton Park by-law; second, white, will be the debt retirement by-law; third, blue, will be for the referendum on the closure of Yates Street fire hall; fourth, for two school trustees will be pink; fifth for one police commissioner, green, and sixth for four aldermen, tan.

Householders and licensees will get a set of four ballots. They will not vote on the Pemberton Park or debt retirement by-laws. (Pictures of candidates, page 14.)



Gift for Sam Rainey, 102 Today

Long life "runs in the blood," says Sam Rainey, 102. He scorns patent medicines, sticks to porridge and soft-boiled eggs by preference, recalls his father lived to 105, his mother to 104. Born in County Down, he lived in Victoria since 1912.

In a birthday toque, a present today from his landlady, Mrs. Emma Edwards, Mr. Rainey gets a birthday kiss from Mrs. Caroline Rhodes. That, too, is an acceptable part of the Irishman's diet. See story on Page 22. (Photo by Halkett.)

## U.N. Won't Hear Bey of Tunis

Committee Votes 26 to 24 Against Hearing  
Spokesman Detail Complaints Against France

UNITED NATIONS, N.Y., Dec. 10 (AP)—The United Nations political committee today refused to invite the Bey of Tunis to send a spokesman here to detail his complaints against France.

France, which is boycotting U.N. debates on the explosive Tunisian question, had no representative present when the committee voted 26 to 24, with seven abstentions, against the resolution containing the invitation.

Britain and the United States led the fight against the move, which was strongly supported by Asian-Arab and Soviet bloc countries.

Canada has backed a middle-of-the-road proposal urging moderation on both sides.

Tuesday night Pakistan's Itat Husain introduced a motion urging the general assembly to ask the 71-year-old Bey, titular ruler of the French North African protectorate, to appoint a representative to come here speedily.

Husain, whose delegation joined 12 other Asian and Arab countries in putting Tunisia's demands for self-rule before the U.N., said he "intended that the Bey's representative come to give his country's views but not have a vote."

U.S. and other western delegates indicated they would "oppose the motion in view of the fact that France is not present."

France is boycotting the Tunisian debate on the grounds that the U.N. has no competence to deal with what she claims is entirely a domestic affair.

I got the same answer every time I spoke to a Chinese about such a visit. It can't be done right away but later we'll be able to arrange any trips you'd like to make.

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## Don Jail Governor Censured

TORONTO, Dec. 10 (CP)—Replacement of Thomas W. Brand as governor of Toronto's Don jail is suggested in a royal commission report on jail conditions.

The report, made public today by Attorney General Porter, blamed Mr. Brand for circumstances which led to the escape of the Boyd gang last Sept. 2. It said neglect to keep the gang under constant supervision led to the escape.

Judge I. M. Macdonell, appointed as the one-man commission to investigate conditions at the jail, said in a 20,000-word report that although Governor T. W. Brand tried to do the best he could "under trying conditions," the failure to keep the four prisoners under constant supervision must rest on his shoulders.

The report added that "one must have sympathy" for Mr. Brand, for if he had been provided with an adequate staff, the escape might not have occurred.

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160 Deaths

LONDON, Dec. 10 (AP)—Four days of oppressive fog which blanketed London earlier this week were blamed today for speeding the deaths of at least 160 elderly persons in the city. The total may exceed 200.

## Seven Wounded In Gun Battle On N.Y. Street

Negro in Fight  
With Officers

NEW YORK, Dec. 10 (AP)—Three patrolmen and a 37-year-old gunman fought a furious gun battle early today in the streets, a block from Times Square. The four men and three passersby were wounded.

Police said the three officers, all of whom were seriously wounded, exchanged shots with the gunman after chasing him from the Times Square subway station following a fight.

The gunman, who suffered multiple wounds of the body, was identified by police as Clarence O. Simms of Cleveland, a Negro. None of the passersby was hurt seriously.

One of the wounded patrolmen, Robert Knox, said that he tried to break up a fight in the subway involving Simms and an unidentified man and that Simms fled to the street.

With the patrolman in pursuit, Simms ran to 43rd Street and 8th Avenue, where two other patrolmen in a radio car joined the chase.

Trapped in there, Simms was approached by patrolman George McAuliffe.

Police said that when McAuliffe neared Simms to search him, the Oklaian pulled out a .45-calibre automatic and opened fire.

Knox and patrolman James Kane returned the fire and brought Simms down. Both officers were wounded in the exchange.

Q.C.A. Official  
Missing After  
Plane Found

VANCOUVER, Dec. 10 (AP)—A search party today is looking for a Queen Charlotte Airlines employee who apparently lost his way while looking for the wreckage of a plane that crashed Friday.

The same party that found the wreckage of the crashed Q.C.A. Anson and the body of pilot Bruce Wilson Tuesday, is searching the area near Halfmoon Bay, 40 miles northwest of here, for Tom McLaughlin of Vancouver.

McLaughlin, chief inspector for the airlines, was a member of a party of department of transport officials and R.C.M.P. The party split up near the wreck and McLaughlin was not seen again.

Seven Missing

ROTTERDAM, Dec. 10 (Reuters)—Seven seamen were believed drowned today when the Dutch liner Maasdam collided with a small German tanker in a canal here. The tanker capsized.

The tanker Ellen was heading out to sea when it crashed with the 15,204-ton Holland-American liner, carrying 600 New York-bound passengers.

## COMMONWEALTH PARLEY NEARS END

# Huge Plans Drafted For Sterling Bloc

## 'WEEK-END' IN TIMES STARTING FEBRUARY

MONTREAL, Dec. 10.—Publication in the Victoria Daily Times of Week-end Picture Magazine, effective next Feb. 7, was jointly announced here today by John G. McConnell, president of Week-end, and Stuart Keate, publisher of the Times.

In full-page newspaper advertisements today Mr. McConnell welcomed "this important newspaper, covering a major market," to the group of Canadian newspapers which carry Week-end.

Mr. Keate said the addition of Week-end was in line with the Times policy of bringing its readers "outstanding new Canadian features, rotogravure and comics."

Week-end Magazine, a full color and rotogravure section devoted to Canadian affairs and articles, appears in selected newspapers from coast to coast.

## Truman Wants MacArthur Plans

President Asks General to Reveal  
Scheme to End Korean Conflict

WASHINGTON, Dec. 10 (BUP)—President Truman has called upon General MacArthur to advise him "at once" of any "reasonable" plan the general has for ending the Korean war. MacArthur said Friday he has such a plan.

NEW YORK, Dec. 10 (AP)—An aide said today that Gen. Douglas MacArthur does not contemplate going west for a conference with President-Elect Eisenhower on the war in Korea.

The aide, Col. S. L. Huff, said there were no grounds for speculation that the former Far East commander would go to the west coast to meet Eisenhower, now returning from a visit to Korea.

Huff declined to discuss MacArthur's whereabouts except to say the general "is not available."

The speculation arose after Eisenhower in a radio message to MacArthur expressed interest in learning the former Far East commander's views on ending the Korean war.

Reporters who attempted to reach MacArthur Tuesday prior to announcement of the exchange of radio messages were told by his office he was "out of town."

After the exchange was announced Tuesday night, the telephone supervisor at the apartment building where he lives said the general was not at home.

North Vancouver  
Probe to Resume

NORTH VANCOUVER, Dec. 10 (BUP)—The hearing into alleged irregularities in civic administration in North Vancouver will resume December 15 under chairmanship of D. E. McGart, former counsel for the city of Vancouver.

Wicks Promises  
'Streamlining'

Labor Minister Tells Nanaimo  
T.L.C. Conference of Plans

NANAIMO, Dec. 10.—A speed-up in labor relations processes was promised today by Labor Minister Lyle Wicks in an address to 110 delegates attending the annual convention of the B.C. section of the Trades and Labor Congress of Canada.

Mr. Wicks said he was going to "streamline" the B.C. government's labor department by amalgamating services, and promote faster handling of conciliation and certification proceedings by having labor department inspectors work more closely with those engaged in conciliation.

Asking co-operation from the 70,000 unionists in 300 T.L.C. units in B.C. he promised the delegates co-operation from the labor department, but "no favoritism."

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The unshakable view of the British and sterling area sections of the conference has been that the pound can only be freed if support is forthcoming from Washington. Such support obviously would have to be the subject of negotiations with the incoming Eisenhower regime.

The Canadian delegation came to the conference with considerable anxiety over the likelihood that the other Commonwealth partners would launch an all-out assault on G.A.T.T. While the operations of G.A.T.T. haven't been uniformly satisfactory to Canada, especially in relations with the United States, the arrangement is credited with having boosted Canada's South American exports from \$14,000,000 annually to \$300,000,000 annually.

Of equal concern with the preservation of G.A.T.T. to the Canadians was the fear that an attempt might be made to raise the preferential tariff wall around Commonwealth countries back to or near the one-time heights of the old Ottawa agreements. Any such proposal would be entirely contrary to the St. Laurent government's accepted philosophy of liberalizing world trade and the Canadian delegation was prepared to resist it firmly.

Northwest Lumbermen  
Told: Guard Resources

Canada and the United States will be in danger of losing their places as world leaders if they do not take care of their reproducible natural resources, Lands and Forests Minister R. E. Somers told 600 forest and lumber men meeting at the Empress Hotel today.

The minister's remarks came at the opening session of the 43rd annual conference of the Western Forestry and Conservation Association.

The association represents a triple alliance of private, federal and state agencies whose objective is to make the most of the forest resources of the eleven western U.S. states and British Columbia, yet assure a sustained forest yield for all time.

"The future belongs to the nations with an abundance of natural resources," Mr. Somers declared in his speech of welcome to conference delegates. "If our countries are to continue to be world leaders we must manage the reproducible resources according to the best principles of resources management."

The minister observed there were indications on every hand that the annual harvest of the forest crop in this part of the world was just about in balance with the rate of growth.

"Conservation policies must be directed, therefore, to permanent production of an ample supply of raw material to maintain the great industries which have been established," he declared. (See page 17 for pictures, stories.)

## Suspect Held In 'Bedroom Bandit' Case

VANCOUVER, Dec. 10 (BUP).—Police got their first break in a wave of molesting of young women in Vancouver today when a young man was identified as one of the attackers, possibly the "bedroom bandit."

Police withheld the man's name while investigating further charges against him.

Twenty women formed a police lineup to see whether they could recognize three sex-offense suspects. Only the one man was picked out and he was identified by three women who had reported being molested by the "bedroom bandit."

Rails, Unions  
Meet Again  
On Thursday

MONTREAL, Dec. 10 (CP)—Railway and union officials met for one and one-half hours today in resumed negotiations in their wage dispute and scheduled another session for Thursday.

No statement was issued today but the atmosphere was reported friendly. Neither side would indicate how long the talks may last.

The dispute is between the Canadian Pacific and Canadian National Railways and two national and 15 international brotherhoods representing 144,000 employees who don't actually operate trains.

The two parties came together on an invitation extended by Labor Minister Gregg after the unions rejected the railroad's offer of a federal conciliation board recommendation that the employees be given a 16-cent-an-hour wage increase.

Duke Reported  
Set to Ignore  
Coronation

LONDON, Dec. 10 (CP)—The Daily Express says today it understands the Duke of Windsor will not take any part in the Coronation ceremony next June.

It quotes "good sources" as saying the duke has made up his mind not to be in England for the ceremony.

The Express report is in line with a Canadian Press dispatch last Thursday, which said the duke probably will not attend the Coronation unless the Duchess of Windsor is invited. It is understood the stumbling block is that the duke insists on his wife being treated as a royal duchess.

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## FINAL ★★★★★ BULLETINS

### Ike Meets MacArthur in New York

ABOARD U.S.S. HELENA, Dec. 10 (AP)—President-elect Eisenhower and Gen. Douglas MacArthur will meet in New York shortly after Eisenhower's return to discuss MacArthur's plan for shortening the Korean war, a reliable source said today.

The source said no time or place had been set for the meeting.

### Victorian Gets High Army Post

LONDON, Ont., Dec. 10 (CP)—Major John A. Cook, of Victoria, has been appointed deputy assistant adjutant and quartermaster general of the western Ontario military area. He succeeds Major A. D. Egan, transferred to Petawawa, Ont.

### Hospital Workers Protest Freeze

VANCOUVER, Dec. 10 (CP)—A government order directing hospitals to freeze their budgets at the 1952 level will be protested by the Hospital Employees' Federal Union (T.C.U.), union business agent Bill Black said today.

The union charged that the government is interfering with collective bargaining.

### Vancouver Suspect Identified

VANCOUVER, Dec. 10 (CP)—Walter Champness, 24, held as a suspect in a recent wave of molestings here, today was charged with contributing to juvenile delinquency.

Champness, a married airman stationed at the R.C.A.F. base at Sea Island, was picked out of a police lineup Tuesday. Six of the 20 victims of the assaults identified him.

## WICKS PROMISES 'STREAMLINING'

Special to The Times

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## OVERNIGHT ENTRIES

### TANFORAN

FIRST RACE—Six furlongs:  
Air Minded 115  
Cap Jirondo 119  
Our Deal 107  
Ona Owa 115  
Royal Carl 115  
Current River 112  
Fancy Kid 107  
Comical Sue 112  
Top's Baby 109

SECOND RACE—Six furlongs:  
Blue Queen 109  
Black J 112  
Angel's Camp 109  
Big Pumper 112  
Presto Pussio 112  
Dunkirk 112  
Sun Bash 112

THIRD RACE—Six furlongs:  
Pony Penny 112  
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FOURTH RACE—Six furlongs:  
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Ch Jax 117  
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Lindy B 110

FIFTH RACE—Six furlongs:  
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Tape Buster 115  
Sir Harvey 115  
Panama Six 112  
Sir Patch 115  
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SIXTH RACE—One mile and one-sixteenth:  
Crest-Nut 108  
Burgette 112  
Friendly 120  
Pardner 112  
Badger's Rip 108  
Lady Playfair 111

SEVENTH RACE—One mile and one-sixteenth:  
A-Shut Out 115  
Obdurate 120  
Lolaine 114  
Lion's Choice 117  
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EIGHTH RACE—One mile and one-sixteenth:  
Vally Band 120  
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Mon Pigeon 120  
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### FAIR GROUNDS

FIRST RACE—Six furlongs:  
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Onco Mors 108  
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Kitty Whisker 108  
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SECOND RACE—Six furlongs:  
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Utopia Lass 102  
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THIRD RACE—Six furlongs:  
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Steady Fox 106  
Brown Pinst 116  
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FOURTH RACE—Six furlongs:  
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Ocean Clipper 109  
Salbrance 111  
Mymidion 109  
Sorecity 108  
Loverly Devil 111  
John A B 116  
Bargainer 106  
Box Trade 114  
Sirens Ring 109  
Start Miss 108

## RACE RESULTS

### TANFORAN

First Race—(Preston) \$7.70 \$1.80 \$2.80  
Maggie Ann (Westrop) 3.30 2.30  
Sea Cap (Longden) 3.30 2.30  
Time, 1:15 1-5.

Second Race—  
Fleeing Owl (Westrop) \$10.00 \$4.50 \$2.40  
Gloria Pigeon (Williams) 4.50 2.50  
Sea Cap (Longden) 3.30 2.30  
Time, 1:15 1-5.

Third Race—  
Cathi Miss (Longden) \$3.80 \$2.30 \$2.30  
Gloria Pigeon (Williams) 4.50 2.50  
Telegraph Hill (Trotter) 2.50  
Time, 1:15 1-5.

Fourth Race—  
Trail Me (Williams) \$9.10 \$5.50 \$4.90  
Touho Sweep (Valenzuela) 3.30 2.30  
Alfred Base (Leland) 3.30 2.30  
Time, 1:15.

### FAIR GROUNDS

First Race—  
Dominion (Carsten) \$28.60 \$18.20 \$6.60  
How Vain (Keene) 7.80 4.80  
Dancing Man (Ward) 4.80  
Time, 1:48 2-5.

Second Race—  
Pine Turkey (Popara) \$20.00 \$10.20 \$5.00  
Play Eda (Hettinger) 6.40 4.40  
Shining Star (Keene) 2.80  
Time, 1:14 1-5.

Third Race—  
Herman L. (Hardinbrook) \$5.20 \$3.50 \$2.20  
Where You At (Ward) 7.00 4.00  
Senator C.M. (Kaelin) 4.80  
Time, 1:14 1-5.

Fourth Race—  
Bayou Rose (Kaelin) \$4.00 \$2.50 \$2.30  
Play Eda (Hettinger) 2.40 2.20  
Judy Rounders (Glasner) 2.40  
Time, 1:13.

Fifth Race—  
Bimover (Hatcher) \$38.80 \$15.80 \$10.60  
Seven Pillars (Martin) 5.00 3.20  
Syndicate (Keene) 2.40  
Time, 1:14 1-5.

Sixth Race—  
Hooster Belle (Hettinger) \$10.20 \$6.20 \$4.20  
Eleven Men (Cox) 6.60 4.40  
Away Away (Camp) 4.20  
Time, 1:13.

Seventh Race—  
Mirthful (Kaelin) \$4.60 \$2.80 \$2.40  
Mowaw (Popara) 5.00 3.00  
Jolei Mac (Ward) 2.80  
Time, 1:14.

## Officials See Light Civic Vote

Polls Open  
9-7 Thursday

Less than half the 20,143 eligible voters in the city of Victoria are expected to cast ballots in Thursday's civic election, according to Frank Hunter, city clerk and returning officer.

"If we get a 40 per cent turnout we will be doing well," Mr. Hunter said, basing his opinion on voting records in non-mayoral years over the past quarter of a century.

There was a 38 per cent vote in December, 1950, the last non-mayoral election.

"Probably about 9,000 may cast ballots," Mr. Hunter said.

Polling divisions in the central polling station at the Public Market will be open from 9 in the morning to 7 at night.

SIX BALLOTS  
Mr. Hunter urged that each elector be careful to vote on all of the six ballots he will receive in his set.

This aids both in economy and efficiency as marked ballots are counted "readily and quickly" where as unmarked ballots "must receive possibly four times as much attention," according to the returning officer.

### TWO BY-LAWS

Property owners will get a set of six ballots stapled together. Top ballot, cream in color, will be for the Pemberton Park by-law; second, white, will be the debt retirement by-law; third, blue, will be for the referendum on the closure of Yates Street fire hall; fourth, for two school trustees will be pink; fifth for one police commissioner, green, and sixth for four aldermen, tan.

Householders and licensees will get a set of four ballots. They will not vote on the Pemberton Park or debt retirement by-laws.

(Pictures of candidates, page 14.)

## Q.C.A. Official Missing After Plane Found

VANCOUVER, Dec. 10 (AP)—A search party today is looking for a Queen Charlotte Airlines employee who apparently lost his way while looking for the wreckage of a plane that crashed Friday.

The same party that found the wreckage of the crashed Q.C.A. Anson and the body of pilot Bruce Wilson Tuesday, is searching the area near Halfmoon Bay, 40 miles northwest of here, for Tom McLaughlin of Vancouver.

## SELECTIONS

### TANFORAN

1—Cap Jirondo, Ona Owa, Tony's Yankee.  
2—Home Plate, Presto Pussio, Ripe Queen.  
3—Play Penny, Head West, Beau Ajax.  
4—Go Jax, Union Square, Speed Baller.  
5—Annapolis, J.P. Red Junior, T'n Be.  
6—Burgette, Just Why, Audacious Star.  
7—Obdurate, Bust Out, She Don't Smoke.  
8—Track, Mon Pigeon, Scorpion.

Best Bet—Obdurate.

### FAIR GROUNDS

1—Jollab, Ocean Clipper, Siddons.  
2—Mrs. Valenti, Staggering In, Lumena.  
3—Mildaire, Our Ted, John A. B.  
4—Brewn Pinst, Glad Well, Box Trade.  
5—Red Piddler, The Prem, Mr. Blue Sky.  
6—Lonoke Plash, Whirling Bat, Spunky.  
7—Magnus, Uncle Drew, Tramore Bay.  
8—Special, Arctic Tern, Pulgura.

Best Bet—Mildaire.



Gift for Sam Rainey, 102 Today

Long life "runs in the blood," says Sam Rainey, 102. He scorns patent medicines, sticks to porridge and soft-boiled eggs by preference, recalls his father lived to 105, his mother to 104. Born in County Down, he lived in Victoria since 1912.

In a birthday toque, a present today from his landlady, Mrs. Emma Edwards, Mr. Rainey gets a birthday kiss from Mrs. Caroline Rhodes. That, too, is an acceptable part of the Irishman's diet. See story on Page 22. (Photo by Halkett.)

## U.N. WON'T HEAR BEY OF TUNIS

Committee Votes 26 to 24 Against Hearing Spokesman Detail Complaints Against France

UNITED NATIONS, N.Y., Dec. 10 (AP)—The United Nations political committee today refused to invite the Bey of Tunis to send a spokesman here to detail his complaints against France.

France, which is boycotting U.N. debates on the explosive Tunisian question, had no representative present when the committee voted 26 to 24, with seven abstentions, against the resolution containing the invitation.

Britain and the United States led the fight against the move, which was strongly supported by Asian-Arab and Soviet bloc countries.

Canada has backed a middle-of-the-road proposal urging moderation on both sides.

Tuesday night Pakistan's Itaat Husain introduced a motion urging the general assembly to ask the 71-year-old Bey, titular ruler of the French North African protectorate, to appoint a representative to come here speedily.

Husain, whose delegation joined 12 other Asian and Arab countries in putting Tunisia's demands for self-rule before the

## Record Vote

VANCOUVER, Dec. 10 (BUP)—Officials maintained their hopes for a record turnout of voters in today's Vancouver civic elections as polls opened with fairly good weather and a fairly good response of the electorate.

## 10,000 TROOPS PATROLLING CASABLANCA

Fresh Riot Takes Life of Officer

CASABLANCA, Dec. 10 (Reuters)—A regiment of French legionnaires arrived in Morocco today as Casablanca's stores, schools and offices closed for the funeral of eight Europeans killed in Monday's riots.

Officials estimated that more than 10,000 troops patrolled the city and its suburbs to prevent further anti-French outbreaks.

At least 1,000 Arabs are in custody following rioting which killed more than 50 persons, police reported.

The bodies of three Europeans were so badly mutilated they were still unidentified.

Tribesmen staged a fresh riot Tuesday night at Beni Mellal, 156 miles southwest of here. The angry mob, demanding the release of a prisoner, stoned and stabbed a Moroccan policeman to death. Police opened fire and two were killed.

## Vancouver Stocks Closing Prices

Stocks were mostly unchanged at the close of final session at Vancouver Stock Market today. Only a handful of sales were registered. Pacific Nickel traded at 75 cents, off 5 and Cronin Babine traded at 10 cents in the mines.

## Asks General Reveal Korea Battle Scheme

ABOARD TRUMAN SPECIAL, Dec. 10 (AP)—President Truman today said Gen. Douglas MacArthur should at once present to him any honorable and "reasonable" plan he has for ending the Korean war.

"If we can cut this fighting in Korea short by one day, we should do so," the President said in a statement written aboard the special train carrying him back to Washington from Independence, Mo.

Truman did not name MacArthur. His acting press secretary, Roger Tubby, said there was "no question" but that he referred to the "clear and definite solution" which MacArthur has declared he knows.

The statement was dictated after the President had read newspaper accounts of an interchange of cables on the peace proposal between MacArthur in New York and President-elect Eisenhower on the cruiser Helena in the Pacific.

## C.P.R. Files Petition on Ship Sinking

SEATTLE, Dec. 10 (AP)—A petition for limitation of liability was filed in federal court here today in the case of the steamship Princess Kathleen, which sank near Juneau, Alaska, last September.

Canadian Pacific Railway Co., owner of the Kathleen, asked the court to appraise the value of the cargo and determine whether pre-paid fares are refundable.

The company said \$27,125 was spent for care of passengers after the disaster.

The company said it believed all claims would exceed \$335,000.

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## 'WEEK-END' IN TIMES STARTING FEBRUARY 7

MONTREAL, Dec. 10.—Publication in the Victoria Daily Times of Week-end Picture Magazine, effective next Feb. 7, was jointly announced here today by John G. McConnell, president of Week-end, and Stuart Keate, publisher of the Times.

In full-page newspaper advertisements today Mr. McConnell welcomed "this important newspaper, covering a major market," to the group of Canadian newspapers which carry Week-end.

Mr. Keate said the addition of Week-end was in line with the Times policy of bringing its readers "outstanding new Canadian features, rotogravure and comics."

Week-end Magazine, a full color and rotogravure section devoted to Canadian affairs and articles, appears in selected newspapers from coast to coast.